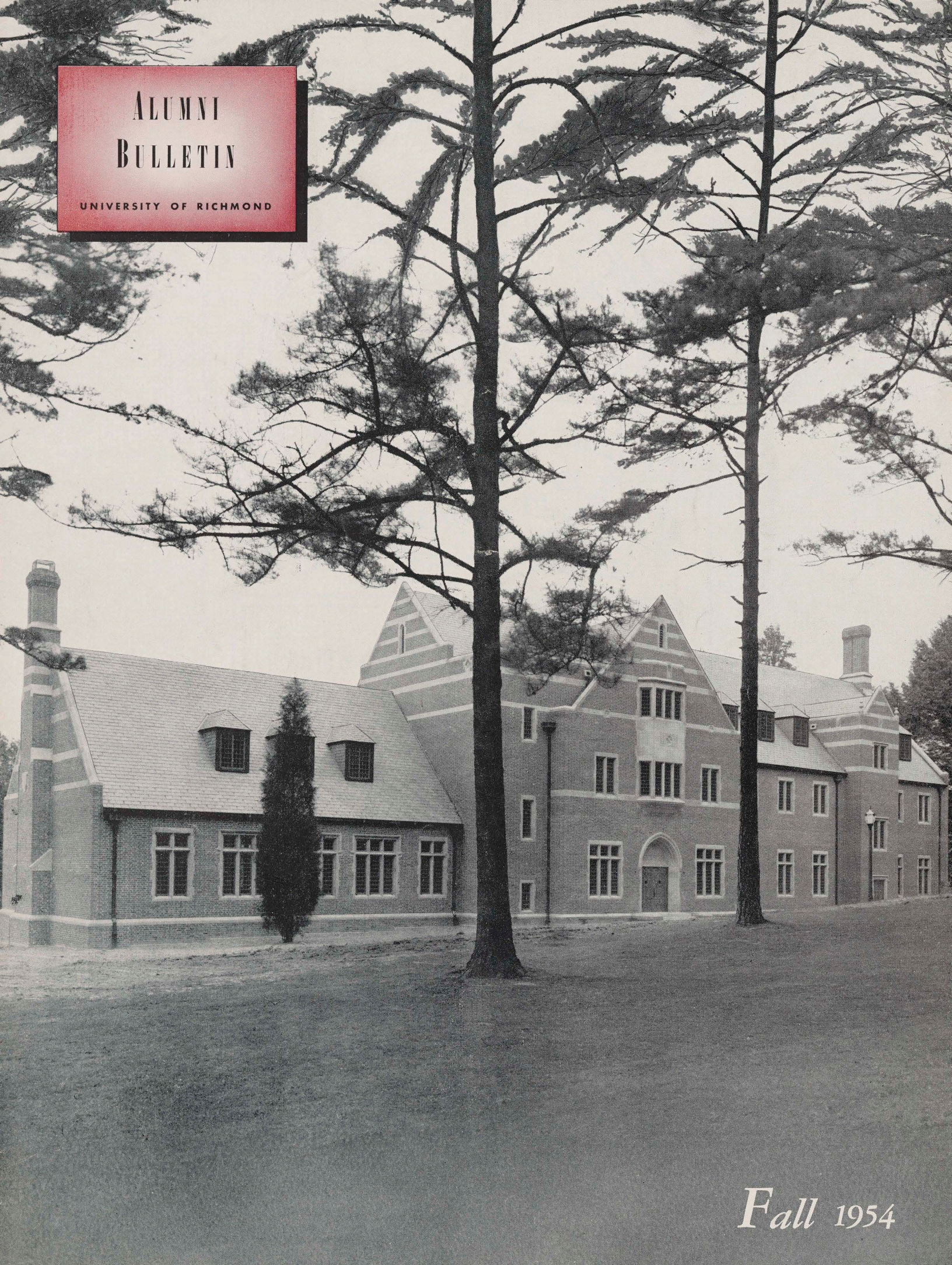
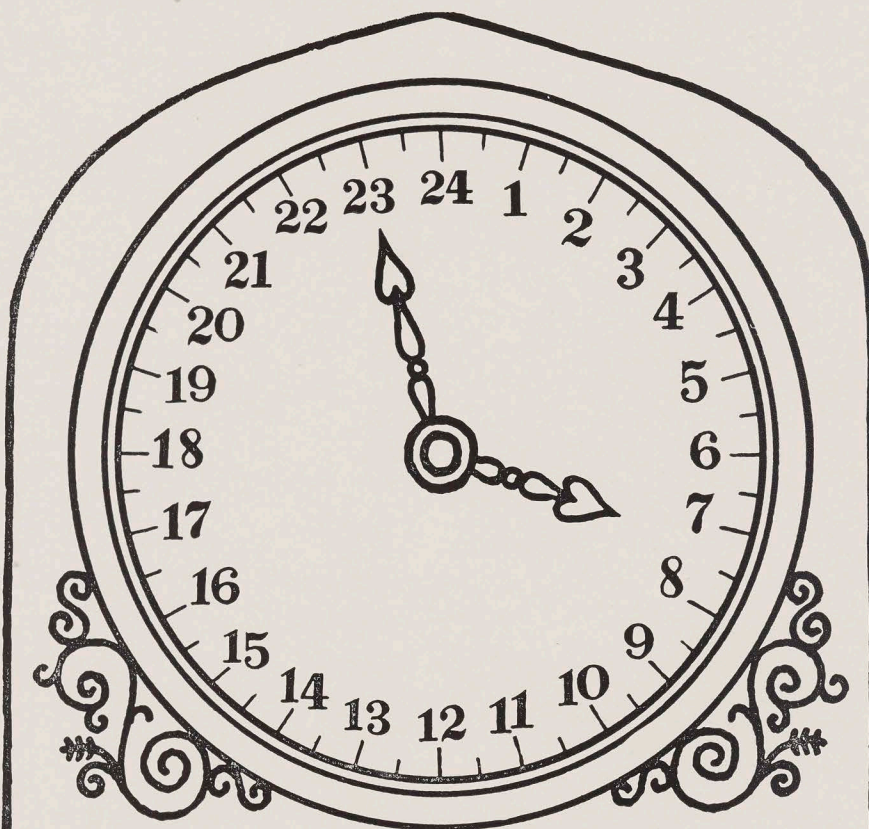


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"He was a lawyer, yet not a rascal, and the people were astonished."

There was general laughter in the courtroom of the new Law School building when Dean William T. Muse in his dedicatory address quoted this reference to Saint Ives of Brittany, made by a contemporary some 500 years ago.

The esteem in which the legal profession is held has advanced a great deal in the intervening half millenium as a result of the growing awareness that the lawyer is a public servant, a road builder charged with the task of "making straight the paths of justice."

Dean Muse's remarks, keynoting the celebration, were pitched at a lofty level as he made explicit the duty of the law schools of the nation to train men for legal service in the interest of their fellow men. Law schools, he said, must be "citadels of free inquiry and free expression. The ultimate safeguard of all freedom and independence in America is the law, and lawyers and law schools are guardians of this fundamental heritage."

It was a great day for the Law School, perhaps the most significant in the four score and four years of the institution. It made official the return of the T. C. Williams School of Law to the main campus after an absence of 37 years. The hundreds of friends and alumni who attended the open house on the afternoon following the dedication were impressed with the magnificence of the building which was erected at a cost of \$400,000. They agreed that it would meet the needs of the Law School for many years to come.

Dean Muse's thoughts were on those years ahead as he said in his closing remarks:

"We have come to dedicate this magnificent new law building. We cannot dedicate it, we cannot consecrate it. The good men and women, who made it possible by their labors, by their vision, and by their unselfish benefactions, have consecrated it far beyond our poor power to add or to detract. It is for us, who live and labor here, rather to be dedicated to the unfinished work that others have thus far so nobly advanced. It is for us, to here highly resolve that this School shall today have a new birth of inspiration and of service to all mankind through those who serve and study here. To these ideals we, under God, pledge our very best, to the end that the first eighty and four years shall be but a prologue to future greatness and truth."

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ENROLLMENT RISES

FOR THE FIRST time since the postwar boom, the enrollment at the University of Richmond is up this fall and there are encouraging signs that the trend will continue indefinitely.

Gains in every one of the University's six divisions were reported at the opening convocation in Cannon Memorial Chapel. The total of 3409 was 340 in excess of last year's student body.

Just as the veterans returning from World War II accounted for the tremendous upswing in college enrollments throughout the country, the GI Joes coming back from the Korean conflict are responsible to a large degree for the current increase.

Even more significant, however, is the fact that the increased birth rate of the late 1930's is just beginning to be felt on college campuses. This, coupled with the fact that an increasingly larger percentage of high school students are continuing their education in college, should insure a continued rise in the enrollment curve at the University of Richmond.

President Modlin has called to the attention of the board of trustees the upward trend in enrollment. Last June in his annual report he said it will be necessary to determine how many students shall be admitted to the various divisions of the University. He pointed out that the dormitories at Westhampton are filled to capacity each year, and that dormitories at Richmond College are inadequate for even the number of students now in attendance.

The return of The T. C. Williams School

of Law to the main campus also is expected to accentuate the housing problem.

The fact that 209 Korean veterans are enrolled in the University this fall points up their importance in the overall 340 gain. For the first time since World War II there are fewer veterans of that war in college than there are Korean veterans.

The parent Richmond College had the largest full-time enrollment—948—but the School of Business Administration by counting 1,008 part-time students in the Evening Division, showed a grand total of 1,125. The increase in students was about the same, 94 for the Business School; 91 for Richmond College.

Perhaps the handsome new building (see page 3) was responsible to some degree for an increase of 100 per cent in the freshman enrollment of the T. C. Williams School of Law where the total of 108 was 27 in excess of last year.

There was a substantial gain of 94 in the Summer School enrollment of 745 and a gain of 15 in the Graduate School enrollment of 62. There was a slight gain also at Westhampton College where the enrollment of 421 reflected an increase in the number of commuting students. (The dormitories, as usual, are full to capacity.)

Only students whose surnames range from "A" to "K" heard Dr. Charles E. S. Kraemer, president of the General Assembly's Training School, who spoke at the opening convocation. For a number of years the size of the student body has been of such proportions that only half of the students can be seated

in Cannon Memorial Chapel—"A" through "K" one week, "L" through "Z" the following week.

Dr. Kraemer told the students that college life, in addition to an opportunity to acquire additional book learning, would give them an "excellent opportunity to grow in the art of knowing how to live with other people."

It is only through "an understanding of the meaning of our relationship to God," he said, "that we grow in our ability to understand our fellow men. Man needs faith in himself and in his fellow men, but this is possible only for those who first have faith in God."

He told the students that "the fortunes of every member of society are the concern of all the other members. If there is one filthy place in your community, your community is not clean. If there is one man, or one family who is being treated unjustly, your community is not just."

Dr. Carl J. Sanders, pastor of the Broad Street Methodist Church, welcomed the newcomers to the churches of the city on behalf of the Richmond Ministerial Association, of which he is president.

Students returning to the Richmond College side of the lake after the convocation saw abundant signs of the growth of the University. On the site of the old playhouse, the black girders of the Boatwright Memorial Library tower above the University Lake. Piles of brick awaiting the masons' trowels rest on the spot where the old student shop once stood.

Meanwhile workmen were busily engaged in landscaping the new Law School building for its dedication on October 15.

Students and professors in the School of Business Administration, watching the work, dared hope that before too long ground would be broken for their new building, for which a sizeable nest egg of \$225,000 was given by the late L. U. Noland of Newport News. Meanwhile the School continues to occupy a wooden structure erected by the government to help take care of the GI's at the close of World War II.

Probably at no time in the University's history has the future looked more promising, both from the standpoint of enrollment and physical facilities. The period since World War II has seen the erection of a new dormitory at Westhampton College and a new dining hall there, a Student Center for University of Richmond men, a new Law School Building and, now under construction, a new library.

Furthermore, the construction of Robins Memorial Field, on a beautiful site cut out of the forest to the left of Millhiser Gymnasium, will be of great benefit to the intramural program.

It is hoped that the generosity of other friends of the University will help make possible two additional dormitories for Richmond College, a fine arts building, a formal garden and—of course—a swimming pool at Westhampton College, as well as a swimming pool and field house on the opposite side of the University Lake.



FIRST TO ENROLL IN NEW LAW SCHOOL BUILDING. Carl C. Gillespie, Jr. of Tazewell, winner of a \$1750 scholarship to the T. C. Williams School of Law, registers with Dean William T. Muse. The Law School had an increase of 100 per cent in its freshman class.

The T. C. Williams School of Law, 1870-1954

By JAMES W. PAYNE, JR., '48

EIGHTY-FOUR YEARS of distinguished history were brought into focus at the dedication on October 15 of the new building which will house The T. C. Williams School of Law on the main university campus. It is a history that is marked by the love and labors of many capable and dedicated men. It is a long history—a record of time in which struggle and adversity, disappointment and unflinching hopes were mixed in liberal proportions. The school has now come to a fruition of those years of effort—a fruition that is in no sense an ending, a final accomplishment, but one that can mark the beginning of an almost unlimited period of service and productiveness in these demanding times.

Many readers will be familiar with the facts in this historical record. The Law School was founded in 1870 by the trustees of Richmond College and from that date until 1914 it was located on the old campus near Grace and Lombardy Streets. From 1914 to 1917 classes were held under the library in the University's present Administration Building. For the past thirty-seven years the school has been situated in the old "Columbia" building at Grace and Lombardy Streets. The old building was itself rich in history and memories. Chief Justice John Marshall and General Winfield Scott visited there when "Columbia" was the home of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Haxall. Later the building was used as a hospital for Confederate soldiers, and it has recently been singled out as an historic monument worthy of preservation.

Many distinguished men served the School in its humble beginnings. Judge Roger Gregory was the first professor; and Andrew Jackson Montague, who had been Governor of Virginia, became the School's first dean in 1906. Then, too, there was Dr. J. L. M. Curry, a law professor who became Ambassador to Spain, and, perhaps above all, Dr. Walter Scott McNeill.

It was McNeill who brought with him from the Harvard Law School the case method of instruction. Thus, for the first time, was introduced to the Richmond Law School and to the south an inductive method of study and teaching that has become commonplace in legal instruction, but that is in marked contrast to much generalized academic instruction both in its rigor and in its emphasis upon close independent analysis and thought. It was during McNeill's tenure that the Law School won accreditation by the American Bar Association. This came in 1928 largely as a result of the vigorous efforts of the late Frederick William Boat-

wright, President of the University of Richmond.

A few months before McNeill's death, M. Ray Doubles was elevated to the deanship. Dean Doubles was responsible for the organization of the Student Bar and for our close relationship with the alumni group. When Doubles became judge of a Richmond court in 1947, Professor William T. Muse was named dean.

Apart from the important and intensely personal influence of the men mentioned here, two other major factors have shaped the growth and character of the Law School. The first of these was the unflinching generosity of the T. C. Williams family. Without this assistance the Law School might not be in existence today. It was a gift of \$25,000 from the children of the late T. C. Williams in honor of their father that enabled the School to reopen in 1890 after a lapse of eight years. Again, in 1924, when money was needed for an addition to the Law building, \$40,000 was provided by T. C. Williams, Jr., who at his death in 1929 left more than \$200,000 to the University. In more recent years A. D. Williams, another son of T. C. Williams, Sr., provided \$100,000 for the new building. To this was added \$50,000 which had been bequeathed to the Law School by Mrs. A. D. Williams at her death in 1950. The remainder of the total of \$400,000 that went into the building was contributed by alumni, Richmond citizens, business firms, and other friends of the University.

The third influence directing the development of The T. C. Williams School of Law in significant but more subtle ways has been that of the Harvard Law School. It has already been stated that Dr. Walter Scott McNeill received his legal education at Harvard. The same is true of the University's present Rector, T. Justin Moore, who was a member of the T. C. Williams faculty for eleven years. John Randolph Tucker, who was a member of the faculty for fifteen years, received a portion of his legal education at Harvard. Finally, Dean William T. Muse and five other members of the present faculty of ten teachers have received training in that institution. Inevitably, the spirit, imagination, and intellectual integrity of the Harvard Law School have been reflected in our own institution, and to these qualities has been added the individuality of the personal attainments and insights of the present faculty. This faculty as presently constituted is perhaps the most competent team of teachers in the School's history. Its tenure is thought to be unique—the ten members of the faculty

having an aggregate tenure of 185 years, or an average of more than eighteen years.

All these circumstances have combined to make a proud record of performance for the University. Its alumni form a large proportion of the attorneys in this region, and of the lawyers practicing in the city of Richmond, approximately one-half are alumni of T. C. Williams. We have contributed fifteen of the sixty-eight judges serving in the state, and four of the seven judges in Richmond are products of this Law School. The Chief Justice and one other Justice of the Supreme Court of Appeals of Virginia are graduates of T. C. Williams. Many of these men are rendering valuable service to their communities and to the state.

Despite this record of achievement, the old "Columbia" building became increasingly inadequate for the kind of job that the Law School had set for itself. Neither in the library nor in the classroom were students and instructors ever free from the noise of traffic that flowed past the building. The building's physical facilities were even more distressing. The first year law student must have gazed on his gloomy surroundings with something akin to dismay. The lighting was less than adequate. Shelf space in the library was so scarce that a large number of books, including many valuable volumes that should have been protected from deterioration and made available for general use, were placed on the floor in the basement. Purely in terms of its physical assets, then, the new law building will mean much to those who will use it. The contrast between the new and the old in that sense is remarkable. We now have adequate tools to work with if we have the wisdom to use them.

The program surrounding the dedication of the new building was inspiring. The dedication ceremony commenced at 10:30 A. M. in the Law School's courtroom with the University President George M. Modlin, presiding. The building was presented by Rector Moore, and accepted on behalf of the University by Dr. Modlin. The dedicatory address was delivered by Dean William T. Muse.

Dean Muse sounded the keynote of the dedication. He recalled that the Law School was founded in a period of financial adversity to "implant the great and guiding principles of jurisprudence, and to impart a philosophic habit of thought." The Dean then pledged the Law School to responsible professional training to the end that its graduates might

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HOMECOMING 1954

WAKE FOREST's Demon Deacons will furnish the opposition for the University of Richmond Spiders in a football tilt at 2:30 p.m., Saturday, November 6, which will climax a week end of Homecoming activity.

More than 1,000 old and not-so-old grads will come back for a round of festivities on their respective sides of the University Lake and then they will get together in Millhiser Gymnasium at noon for the traditional luncheon at which the University will be host.

Student bodies of Richmond College, Westhampton College, The School of Business Administration and The Law School also will help put down the welcome mat for the old grads. There will be open house in the various fraternity headquarters and, as usual, the students will vie with each other in devising novel ways to say "hell-o" to the alumni and alumnae.

As the BULLETIN goes to press rival committees of fraternities and other organizations of the four schools mentioned above are making elaborate plans for their entries in the Homecoming parade, always one of the most colorful of the Homecoming spectacles. The parade will form at the campus and will move to the stadium over a route that will carry it on Grove Avenue to Malvern Avenue, from Malvern to Monument, from Monument to the Boulevard and thence to the stadium.

In addition to the motorized units the parade will include several college and high school bands which will swing into the procession at the Boulevard.

At the half-time of the football game, the parade will pass in review and prizes will be given the outstanding entry and also the outstanding fraternity entry. Both the Miller and Rhoads trophy for best in parade and the



Jane Lawson Patton, '51



Homecoming Chairmen

Rawley Fleet Daniel, '40

Harvey Hudson trophy for the best fraternity entry were won last year by Theta Chi.

A feature of the half-time celebration will be the crowning of the Homecoming Queen who has been selected by the vote of students.

The Homecoming week end will begin Friday night, October 5, with a 7 o'clock dinner at Westhampton College which will be followed at 8:30 with a coffee hour at which Miss Caroline Lutz, professor of English and puppeteer extraordinary, will tell of her impressions of Japan and Hawaii during

a visit to the Far East last summer.

University of Richmond men will join with students in a pep rally on Millhiser Field at 7:30 o'clock Friday night and later the alumni will attend the Homecoming dance at the John Marshall Hotel. The dance is sponsored by the Richmond City Alumni Club.

The Saturday program will begin with 9 o'clock registration in front of Millhiser Gymnasium for the men and 9:45 o'clock registration in Keller Hall for the women. The alumnae will be munching doughnuts and drinking coffee as the guests of Mortar Board in Keller Hall at 10 o'clock when the whistle blows on Millhiser Field for the kick-off of a freshman game between our JayVees and William and Mary's junior varsity.

After the game and luncheon, the old grads will hurry to the stadium in order to witness the elaborate pre-game ceremonies, including the parade, which will precede the 2:30 o'clock kick-off. Alumni could ask no better entertainment than a repetition of the 13 to 13 thriller with the Deacons last year. The game vied with the victory over Boston College as the outstanding effort of the 1953 team.

At Westhampton College the Homecoming activities will be headed by Mrs. James D. Patton III (Jane Lawson, '51). The alumni committee is headed by General Chairman Rawley Fleet Daniel, '40. Daniel's sub-chairmen are Addison Dalton, '43, for registration; Malcolm U. Pitt, Jr., '42, morning athletic event; Frank Cosby, '39, lunch; and Carl Barefoot, '50, parade. Jackson Taylor, '42, will serve as parade marshal.

HOMECOMING CALENDAR

Friday, November 5

- 7:00 p.m. Alumnae Dinner, Westhampton Dining Room.
- 7:30 p.m. Pep Rally, Millhiser Field.
- 8:30 p.m. After dinner coffee, Reception Room, Keller Hall. "Japan and Hawaii" as seen by Miss Caroline Lutz.
- 9:30 p.m. Homecoming Dance, John Marshall Hotel. Sponsored by Richmond Club Alumni Club.

Saturday, November 6

- 9:00 a.m. Alumni Registration, Millhiser Lawn.
- 9:45 a.m. Alumnae Registration, Keller Hall.
- 10:00 a.m. Junior Varsity Football: William and Mary vs. University of Richmond.
- 10:00 a.m. Coffee and Doughnuts, Reception Room, Keller Hall. (Sponsored by Mortar Board.)
- 12:00 noon Joint Alumni-Alumnae Lunch, Millhiser Gymnasium.
- 1:30 p.m. Parade and Homecoming Spectacle, City Stadium.
- 2:30 p.m. FOOTBALL, U of R vs. WAKE FOREST, City Stadium.

"Their Conduct Has Been Beyond Praise . . ."

THOSE CO-EDS

By EUDORA RAMSAY RICHARDSON

ON AN EPOCHAL day in September more than two score years ago forty-one women relinquished their co-ed status at Richmond College and moved into the new and by-no-means ivied halls of Westhampton College, where they were joined by an equal number of first-year matriculants.

The co-eds brought from the old campus a full-fledged senior class of eleven women, who became the first Westhampton graduates; an organized athletic association, with basketball and tennis teams; and a student-government association, whose officers had been elected the Spring before. The Alumnae Association had been organized at a luncheon during the commencement days of 1910.

These forty-one co-eds, undoubtedly sterling characters, were not quite pioneers. To paraphrase latter-day suffragists, their path had been rendered smooth by the bloody feet of women who had gone before, for during sixteen years at Richmond College 179 other co-eds had established the traditions that the Mary-come-latelys transplanted in Westhampton soil.

President F. W. Boatwright reported to the Board of Trustees in June 1899 that four young women had matriculated in Richmond College during the session then ending—three in September and one later. "These students were well prepared for college work," he said, "and have ranked with the best students among the men. No opposition to their admission has been manifest. Their conduct has been beyond praise. One young woman, Miss Lulie G. Winston, has completed requirements for the Bachelor of Science Degree."

It seems, therefore, that Miss Lulie was the first woman to be graduated from a Virginia college founded for the education of men. Her career justified the confidence placed in her, for she won a doctorate from Johns Hopkins and made significant contributions to science. The three other pioneers who like Miss Lulie, possessed bravery comparable to that of Elizabeth Blackwell, Lucretia Mott, and Susan B. Anthony, were Margaret W. Parker, Nannie T. Pegram, and Carrie C. Timberlake. The second woman graduate was Catherine Quarles, who won her bachelor's degree in 1901.

When the president made his report ten years after the admission of women, the skirts of sixty-four co-eds had dusted the campus. Exclusive of that year's candidates, nineteen women had received bachelor de-



OH, YOU KIDDOES. Although the "emphasis was upon higher education," this team of 1911 did manage to win a few basketball games. In the front row, left to right are Helen Morrisette, Celeste Anderson, Eudora Ramsay, and Marion Monsell. Second row: Clemence Wallerstein, Emily Jenkins, Sophie Galeski, Marie Sands, Mary Barnes. Third row: Virginia Campbell, Coach ? (nobody seems to remember her name), Macon Barnes, and Pauline Pearce.



OLD MAIDS CLUB. A great many of these girls failed to remain members in good standing. Although the 1911 Web lists the porcupine as the club mascot, that creature in the cage is clearly a parrot.



AMONG THE LADIES PRESENT (as usual) is Dr. Robert E. Loving. The occasion was a picnic in the summer of 1913 on the new campus to which Richmond College would move the following year and where Westhampton would be established. In the background is the original Westhampton building, now called North Court. With Dr. Loving are Lena Gary (Mrs. G. Glenwood Clark) and (right) Celeste Anderson (Mrs. Wilmer L. O'Flaherty).

grees and four of these had added master of arts degrees. Since leaving college, Dr. Boatwright added happily, nine co-eds had been married—three of these fortunate young women to men they had met on the campus. It would appear, accordingly, that coeducation was better than a noble experiment. The president again was extravagant in his praise of the co-eds' exemplary conduct. "At no time has it been necessary," he wrote, "to reprimand or punish a woman student. By their diligence in study, as well as by their becoming behavior, they have done honor to themselves and the college."

Though in my day co-eds got no reprimands or punishments, our conduct was far from exemplary. In fact, we were strong-minded females intent upon asserting our rights.

The period from the Autumn of 1909 to the Spring of 1911 was marked by several beginnings. Before that time the one co-ed organization had been the Chi Epsilon Literary Society, formed in silly emulation of the men's societies. In the Autumn of 1909 a campaign brought us a co-ed room—about twelve feet square and under the malodorous refectory. Here, congregating for gripe sessions, we began to organize. The Women's Self-Government Association was formed in October 1910. According to Ruth Thomasson, the first president, it "arose out of the specific needs of the co-eds, as a means of cultivating their *esprit de corps*, and of paving the way for their future life under the auspices of co-ordination."

Next came the Women's Athletic Association, composed of girls who were playing tennis and basketball. The thirty co-eds were brainy enough, if we must make the admission ourselves, but there wasn't an athlete among us.

Nevertheless, basketball enthusiasts equipped themselves with full bloomers, black stockings, and white middie blouses and

practiced behind a high board fence, which Dr. Boatwright fatuously thought would afford privacy. The boys, like a flock of inquisitive crows, perched on the fence and made audible comments about our legs. One motherly faculty wife tried to protect us but soon found that both girls and boys resented her interference. When we played other schools, perhaps we won a game or two. As captain of the team, however, I can't remember when or where. I do know that the Woman's College, to which we felt vast scholastic superiority, licked us to a finish. We consoled ourselves by saying that our emphasis was upon higher education.

The co-ed tennis club in my day had no intercollegiate matches. Because we played on open courts, frequently with the boys, we wore skirts that touched our ankles and made swift play difficult. Now and then a breeze or a fall caused lower "limbs" to be disgracefully exposed.

In dramatics the decorum of co-eds was frequently shocking. For example, Pauline Pearce as Sylvia and I as Julia in *Two Gentlemen of Verona* allowed ourselves to be kissed in no make-believe fashion by the boys playing Valentine and Proteus. Tights were part of the page costume I wore in Julia's disguise. Though I tried to keep a cape draped about me, I was delighted to hear that several faculty wives were deeply shocked.

Plays were not the only activities in which men and women students worked together. We had representatives on the *Spider* staff, editor for a co-ed corner in the *Messenger*, and officers in all the classes. The Athenæum Club, which boasted that only the literati were eligible, admitted six co-eds: Frances Coffee, Macon Barnes, Pauline Pearce, Eudora Ramsay, Virginia Robertson, and Ruth Thomasson. Our lofty motto was "Beauty is truth, truth is beauty."

College romances, of which Dr. Boat-

wright had spoken enthusiastically, continued to flourish in library nooks, on a sequestered stairway leading to the seldom-used museum, and under campus trees. As illustrative of library customs, the following quip appeared in the 1911 *Spider*:

Presumptuous Freshman to Cynical Senior: What do those boys and girls talk about so much in the library?

Cynical Senior to Presumptuous Freshman: They don't.

Yet there was the Anti-Co-ed Club composed chiefly of men who were forever trailing some co-ed—such as Walter Beverly, Wilmer O'Flaherty, Bill Decker, and Vaughan Gary.

Some of the professors and many of the boys tried to embarrass us. Since for the most part we were not the embarrassing kind, their efforts were usually unrewarded. Bobbie Stewart, for example, who taught French and German, delighted in making remarks slightly on the ribald side. Most of us laughed, and few of us blushed. The boys had a way of stamping their feet when a girl entered a class somewhat late. A few timid girls made a practice of being early, but most of us waited until the boys were seated just to show them what stuff we were made of.

According to Dr. Boatwright's oft-repeated testimony, the women at Richmond College were good students. Therefore, the professors liked us well enough. Dr. J. C. Metcalf, for example, said that his most delightful teaching experience was connected with an advanced class in Old English in which eight women and one man were enrolled. He made us read *Beowulf* in its entirety in addition to every other scrap of extant Anglo-Saxon literature. He admitted that a group in which men predominated would not have tolerated his assignments. The women graduates of 1911 were greedy in the matter of award-grabbing. Frances Coffee won the Greek medal, which her runner-up H. E. Owings could have displayed to advantage at the theological seminary and later. Ruth Thomasson won the mathematics medal, which her runner-up J. W. Decker could have displayed to advantage in missionary fields and to his ministerial brethren. I won the short-story award, which my runner-up Walter Beverly might have used to impress his English students.

From 1907 to 1914 the women on the campus knew that they were building toward the Greater Richmond College, of which a co-ordinate college for women would be a part. The ten women who were graduated in 1914 ended an era; the eleven former co-eds who were graduated in 1915 began an era. Without the transferred seniors there would have been no women graduates for several years. Thus the forty-one women who moved from the old campus to the new were a part of the chain whose first link was forged in September 1898 when three women matriculated at Richmond College.

FOOTBALL

By ALF GOODYKOONTZ

SPARKLING STATISTICS make interesting reading and conversation, but there's no questioning the big payoff in collegiate football. It's still the final score.

Richmond's Spiders led the nation's major teams in total defense after three games, but among them was a surprising loss to Virginia Military Institute. Then came The Citadel.

The Spider defenders, led by brilliant play at end by Eric Christensen, dented The Citadel attack and protected Richmond's fine defensive measurements.

What's more, with Bill Bauder engineering a three-touchdown last quarter splurge, the Spiders shook off that temporary derailment by VMI and hoisted themselves back on the winning track by a 26-0 margin.

The Citadel, playing before a homecoming crowd of 5,400 in quaint Charleston, S. C., managed only 101 yards on the ground. Against Richmond's vaunted pass defense, the Bulldogs had only two strikes in 10 tries for 25 yards and two other aeriels were picked off by Spider defenders.

Offensively, Richmond waited until the last quarter to pile up its large margin after penalties nullified two scoring maneuvers by Tommy Theodose and Bulldog linemen spiked several other scoring attempts.

The only scoring in the first half came midway in the second period when Fullback Frank Pajaczkowski broke away from two tacklers on the Bulldog 20, shook loose from

Quarterback Duby Rierison 25 yards up field and had things his own way for the remaining distance of an 80-yard scoring jaunt. Bill Thacker's placement made it 7-0, a score that stood until early in the fourth period.

Bauder, who had been troubled by an injured shoulder, came into the game late in the third quarter. Early in the final 15-minute period, he whipped a pass to Louis Wacker that added up to 29 yards and Richmond's second touchdown.

With Bauder craftily guiding the Spiders, Richmond quickly moved for another score, this one on a 43-yard push climaxed by a nine-yard blast up the middle by George Riggs.

In the closing minutes, an insurance TD came after a Citadel pass was taken on the Bulldog 32 by the Spiders' Jim Beck. Ed Santoro went the final 11 yards after Bauder put the ball in scoring position with a 19-yard romp on a keep play.

For his play against The Citadel, Wacker was chosen as the day's outstanding performer in the Southern Conference. It marked the first selection of a Spider this season in the newspaper's honors column.

Richmond—V.M.I.

A rain-soaked City Stadium was the scene of the Spiders' first loss as Virginia Military Institute, led by an unheralded second string quarterback, moved to a convincing 19-6

victory October 2 with 6,000 fans looking on.

The reserve quarterback, Royce Jones, making one of his rare starting appearances as a fill in for the injured Dave Woolwine, gave a first rate performance. His overall direction of the aroused Keydets helped; so did two punt returns of 20 and 16 yards, the only V.M.I. pass interception of the night and several timely completions of passes.

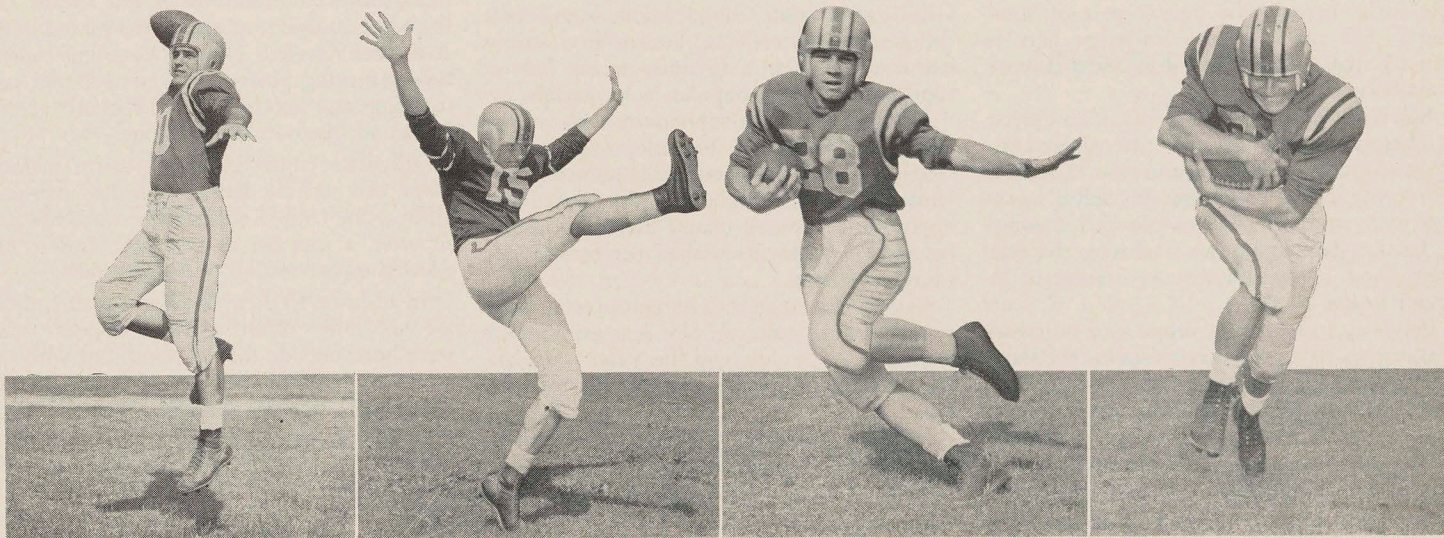
Midway in the second period the Keydets scored their first touchdown after Jones returned a punt 20 yards to the Richmond 42. Except for a 17-yard toss from Jones to Tom Dooley, the going was slow, with Jones finally punching over from one-half yard out and then adding the game's only successful conversion.

Richmond lost a scoring chance in the second period when Tommy Theodose set sail on a 34-yard run, which ended with a clear field ahead when a Richmond blocker accidentally tripped up the speeding Theodose.

Three Jones passes, good for 47 yards, put the Spiders deep in their own territory late in the third period, and V.M.I.'s Charlie Lavery scored early in the fourth period on a one-yard buck. Jones' interception of a Bill Reynolds aerial started the Keydets on their last march, with Lavery doing the scoring again on a seven-yard smash through the line.

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RICHMOND'S PONY BACKFIELD



Bill Bauder
Back of the Week
Against The Citadel

Louis Wacker
The Spiders' Chief
Ground Gainer

George Riggs
Fastest Man, Chief
Point Scorer

Frank Pajaczkowski
He Ran 80 For Touchdown
Against The Citadel

WESTHAMPTON FOREIGN STUDENTS REPRESENT SIX NATIONS

By HOPE GUARALDI, '55

NORWAY, Brazil, Venezuela, Scotland, Germany and Australia—six foreign nations are represented at Westhampton College this year by girls with varying backgrounds and interests.

Lise Hartvig is a nineteen-year-old special student from Oslo, Norway. She is a scholarship student at Westhampton for one year before she returns to Norway to take two and a half more years of physical therapy training at the University of Oslo. She came to the United States to study and to broaden her cultural outlook and says that "America is the dream country that all Norwegian youngsters want to visit."

Born in Arenday, on the southern coast of Norway, Lise lived there until she was five years old when her family moved to Oslo. She has studied at the Nansen College in Oslo, a school founded to encourage intensified inquiries into the humanities. At W. C. her course includes general psychology, German, French, English, algebra, chemistry and health education.

Skiing, sailing, knitting, sewing, playing the piano and guitar are her favorite spare-time activities. Lise speaks Norwegian, English, and German and has studied French. Blonde, blue-eyed Lise says that "the heat is the worst thing" about America. "I would not like to be here in the hottest part of summer!" She said that the landscape here is very like that of Norway, but Norway is more mountainous.

Sylvia Grigorowitsch is a Brazilian citizen of Latvian parentage. She transferred to Westhampton College from the Catholic University in Sao Paulo, Brazil. Sylvia's parents were among the "Boas Novas," a group of Latvian Baptist leaders who were the first from their native country to immigrate to Brazil in the 1920's.

Sylvia is a psychology major and hopes to graduate in 1956. She has studied at the Baptist College, the English Institute and Catholic University, all in Sao Paulo, and expects to use her psychology training in Brazil. Sylvia, studying here on a Women's Missionary Union scholarship, was introduced to

Westhampton by the Reverend Klaupiks, a Latvian Baptist minister in Philadelphia.

A dramatic soprano and classical pianist, Sylvia has played on the concert stage in Sao Paulo and at Baptist College. Her other hobbies are painting and reading biographies. Sylvia compares Sao Paulo with our own Philadelphia. She says that "life is very much the same in our two countries except that the school dormitory rules in Brazil are much more strict." Girls and boys are either just friends and travel in groups or are engaged. They do not have the half-casual, half-serious situation of dating.

Born in Dutch Guiana in 1935, Brigitte Zickmantel is a citizen of Germany, but her home is now in Venezuela. She came to Westhampton three years ago upon the recommendation of friends and is a member of the class of 1956.

A history major, Brigitte hopes to teach or work in the foreign service. She speaks German, Spanish and English fluently, understands Dutch and is studying French. Her extracurricular activities at Westhampton College include presidency of the Westminster Fellowship, chairmanship of the publicity committee of the Religious Activities Council, and membership in the glee club and the New Music Club. She also sings in the St. Giles Presbyterian Church choir, sews, plays the piano, and collects jewelry from many nations. She is an avid horse racing fan—a sport which is very popular in Venezuela.

Catherine Blain, a sophomore who is now living in Petersburg, Virginia, was born in Glasgow, Scotland. Her family moved to the United States in 1948 because the educational opportunities for all people are more liberal here and her parents wished her to take advantage of them.

Cathy plans to go into religious social work after finishing college. She is a member of the B.S.U., glee club, and the Varsity Hockey team. Swimming and hockey are her favorite sports.

Michaela Maschke, a Westhampton senior from Berlin, was born in Pethau, Saxony, and has lived in the German part of Czecho-

slovakia and in the Bohemian forest area of Germany. She is a Spanish major and hopes to have a career in translating. She speaks German and English and has studied French, Spanish, Russian and Czech. "Micky" was sponsored by the Altrusa Club of Richmond for three years and has had several work scholarships at W. C. She learned of Westhampton from family friends.

"Micky" hopes to make her home in the United States. She finds our freedom, both in political and everyday life, very enjoyable. Her glimpse of American life has been broadened by her work at hotel resorts on Cape Cod, Mass., for two summers, and at a Virginia prison for women for one summer. She is president of the University of Richmond German Club and her hobbies include collecting world stamps, swimming, drama and listening to classical music.

Judith Calder, a member of the Class of '57, was born in Melbourne, Australia, but has lived in Richmond for the past eight years. She has started negotiations for citizenship, and expects to be a U. S. Citizen soon. Judy plans a journalistic career as she likes the "hustle and bustle of that interesting world." She has found American people to be very helpful and very individualistic, and likes those qualities. Swimming heads the list of her outside interests. She placed in an American Amateur Union swimming contest before turning professional last summer and teaching and serving as a lifeguard at the Bellwood Quartermaster Depot.

Judy also enjoys collecting coins, making maps and writing letters—she has pen-pals all over the United States. She is a *Collegian* reporter, a member of the IRC, and is fire warden of her section of North Court.

In addition to these foreign students, there are six other Westhampton students who were born outside the 48 states, but who are American citizens. They are Ruth Dallos, Germany; Maritza Garrido, Puerto Rico; Margaret Logan, China; Patricia Moore, Hawaii; Leta May Tucker, China; and Inesa Vaskis, Latvia.

He's a Two-star General and a Fighting Commander but:

HE DIDN'T INTEND TO BE A SOLDIER

By JOSEPH A. LESLIE, JR., '16

WHEN WILLIAM H. SANDS, '10, moved from Richmond to Norfolk in January, 1917, to begin the practice of law, a life associated with the military service was farthest from his thoughts. But as it turned out, he became one of the foremost citizen-soldiers of his time, and has just laid aside his uniform after 34 years (with a few gaps) of military service.

Mr. Sands stepped from a budding law practice in Norfolk into the First Officers Training Camp at Fort Myer in May, 1917, and emerged three months later as a second lieutenant assigned to the 315th Field Artillery, 80th Division. He fought with this unit in France, in the Saint Mihiel sector and in the Meuse-Argonne, and elsewhere, and the military appealed to him. He returned to his law practice in 1919, but in May, 1922, he was appointed captain in the Norfolk Light Artillery Blues, which was known more prosaically as Battery B, 111th Field Artillery, Virginia National Guard. Two years later he was a colonel, commanding the 111th Field Artillery, and remained in this command, and rank, for 14½ years. Incidentally his regiment came to be recognized as one of the finest National Guard units in the country.

In August, 1939, Colonel Sands was elevated to brigadier general in command of the 54th Field Artillery Brigade of the 29th Division. A year and a half later, on February 3, 1941—with war clouds rolling everywhere—the 29th Division, along with his brigade, was called into the Federal service. It was the business of General Sands then to shape his command into a fighting command, which he did. He commanded the 54th Brigade in the landing on Omaha Beach, when the 29th Division spearheaded the invasion of Europe. He was in the front line of this assault and won a purple heart in a foxhole in Normandy. When a general is wounded in front line combat—well, that gives you some idea.

From the bloody beach landing, which took a heavy toll of his command, General Sands led his brigade through France and Germany, to the Elbe.

After the war General Sands was separated from the military service for a few months. On March 7, 1946, he finished a tour of duty with the Planning Section of the Army Ground Forces in Washington, and returned to civilian life. But four months later he was back in the service, appointed major general of the line and assigned to command the 29th Division.

General Sands was faced with a tremen-



Major General William H. Sands

dous task in reorganizing this division along new lines. People were tired of war and the military service, and anxious to put it all behind them. But General Sands displayed a driving power which soon brought his division—composed of units from Virginia, West Virginia and Maryland—up to authorized strength. His achievement in this respect won new recognition for him as one of the outstanding National Guard officers in the United States. He brought the new 29th Division up to an unusually high stage of proficiency, by the time that age limitation intervened to bring his retirement last May.

There was nothing of the "social" organization about the National Guard units under the command of General Sands. He was a strict disciplinarian, and he knew his military business. His military background commanded the respect of his subordinates. He was a graduate of the National Guard Class of the Command and General Staff School, Fort Leavenworth. He was a graduate of the Army War College. He served for six months in 1929 and 1930 with the War Department General Staff in Washington. He had attended numerous lesser military schools. And on his own account he was a tireless student of military techniques. His profound application to his duties paid rich dividends.

General Sands' studiousness manifested itself early in life. After preparatory schooling in Richmond, where he was born 62 years ago, the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Hamilton Sands, he entered Richmond College at the age of 14 in 1906. He studied there two years before going to Carnegie Tech for two years' study of engineering. At Richmond he was a member of Phi Kappa Sigma. After Carnegie Tech he worked a while and then after Richmond College expanded into the

University he took some law at the night school, later finishing off his law course at the University of Virginia. He passed the State Bar in July, 1916, and six months later was in his law office in Norfolk. General Sands was married to Dolores Winn, of Norfolk, who died two years ago. They had no children.

Following his retirement from the military service, General Sands has gone on with the successful practice of law which he never did abandon but which was interrupted often by wars and rumors of war. His only present contact with the military is as a member of the executive council of the National Guard Association. He was a member of the host commission representing the association on June 5 and 6 at France's celebration commemorating the 10th anniversary of the landing at Normandy.

General Sands has received many decorations, not the least of which by any means is the Virginia Distinguished Service medal. He wears the Legion of Merit, with oak leaf cluster; Silver Star, with oak leaf cluster; Bronze Star, with two oak leaf clusters; Purple Heart; Army Commendation Ribbon; Legion d'Honneur, French; Croix de Guerre, with palm, French; the same Belgium; the Orange of Nassau, conferred by Queen Wilhelmina.

Quite an impressive record, one might say, for a man who didn't start out to be a military man, at all.

COUNTIES DRAFT U. of R. PHYSICIAN

A young doctor's ambitions are reaching fulfillment, thanks in large part to a group of public-spirited citizens.

The doctor is Farrar W. Howard, '49, who wanted to practice medicine in a rural setting.

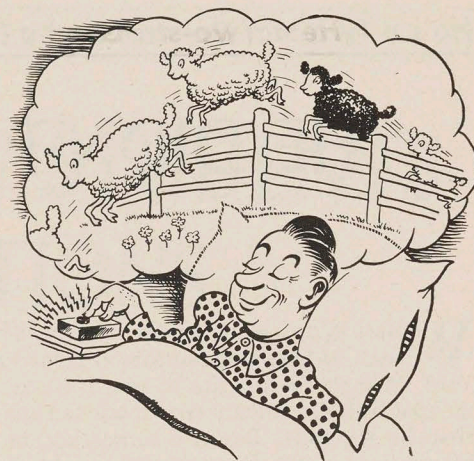
The group of citizens go by the corporate name of Charles City Industries, Inc. The organization was first set up to attract industries to Charles City County, Virginia, but when Charles City and New Kent Counties had need for a doctor, the group went to work.

They built a \$20,000 home and office including two examining rooms and an X-ray room and offered them—in the form of a loan—to Dr. Howard.

Acceptance was forthcoming from the 29-year-old physician who, incidentally, also sings a fine baritone.

KINDLING THE FIRE OF GENIUS

By JOSEPH F. GULICK, '10*



SOME YEARS AGO a patent attorney was approached by an inventor with a new padlock. The novelty resided in the fact that it would not lock. It was to be sold to farmers so that they could not lock the barn door after the horse was stolen.

The story may be apocryphal but there is nothing apocryphal about the patent that was granted a few years ago on a sleep-inducing machine—an automatic sheep-counting device. You pressed a button and a sheep jumped over the fence. By the time all sheep jumped the fence you were asleep or breakfast was ready!

The newspapers like to feature such odd inventions which have cropped up among the 2,680,244 patents granted since the establishment of the patent system in 1790 to June 1, 1954. One of the most intriguing was the drinking toy bird which all of us saw in show windows several years ago. What many of us failed to realize is that these birds were little engines, hydraulic motors, pneumatic motors and heat engines all in one and that they embodied several fundamental principles of physics: refrigeration, gravitation, steam engines and hydraulics.

The primary purpose of the Patent System from the beginning has been to develop the useful arts, sciences and literature and thereby enrich the lives of the people. The exclusive use of his inventions and discoveries for a limited time (now 17 years) was to be the incentive to produce. After that his inventions and discoveries became the property right of the public. In a speech in Springfield, Illinois, in 1859, Abraham Lincoln expressed the purpose of the Patent System in a single cryptic sentence: "The Patent System added the fuel of interest to the fire of genius." These words are engraved above the west entrance to the present Patent Office Building.

The first patent granted to an inventor un-

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der the Act establishing the Patent System was issued to Samuel Hopkins on July 31, 1790 for a "Method of Making Pot and Pearl Ashes." Unfortunately no copy of this patent is now in existence. The fourth patent to be issued and the earliest one now in existence was granted to Frances Bailey, January 29, 1791 for "Punches for Types." The patent was signed by George Washington, President; Thomas Jefferson, Secretary of State; and Edmund Randolph, Attorney General. Speaking of the Patent System some time later, Jefferson said that the issue of patents for new discoveries had given a spring to invention beyond his conception. What would be his reactions were he living today!

To tell the story of inventions as set forth in the Patent Office would take volumes; volumes have been written on it. During the year 1953, 43,308 patents were granted. The largest number of applications filed in any one year was 94,738 in 1929—the year of the crash! The largest number of patents granted in any one year (56,856) was in 1932—the depression year!

The most prolific of all the inventors was Thomas A. Edison who received 1,093 patents. Since patents are granted only to the actual inventor these are his own, not just inventions developed in his laboratories and assigned to him. His first patent was granted June 1, 1869 when he was twenty-two years old. The last one was granted May 16, 1933, two years after his death. His patents dealt principally with electrical devices and phonographs. His brain took an occasional holiday, as when he invented a patent for preserving fruit. A few other inventors approached Edison in the number of patents issued to them. Sidney George Brown received more than a thousand, John F. O'Connor 949, and Elihu Thompson over 600. Each of more than eighty inventors has more than a hundred patents to his credit.

Many of the great corporations today own thousands of patents. Their research laboratories produce hundreds of inventions each year. A casual review of the Digest of Patents for 1953 shows that during this year General Motors received 341 patents, the Du Pont Corporations over 300, General Electric

400. These corporations have hundreds of millions invested in research and employ millions of dollars every year in developing new inventions and improving old ones. This could not possibly be done unless these corporations were given some assurance that they would receive protection for a limited time so that their investments could be returned. They do receive a return but in the end the public, you and I, are the beneficiaries of those who toil under the heat of the blowtorch and before the machine tool lathe.

The Cotton Gin, the McCormick Reaper, the Sewing Machine, the Morse Telegraph and the Wireless Telegraph are regarded as some of the milestones in the development of inventions. But within the memory of most of us there have been hundreds of far-reaching inventions. They are so numerous that they no longer are milestones, but are more nearly like stepping stones. Some of the most important of these are not too well known. In 1929 patents were granted to a German inventor, Karl Schroter, for a hard-steel alloy known as Sintered Tungsten Carbide. They were alloys with the malleability of steel and a hardness approaching the hardness of diamond. With this steel the machine tool industry was able to speed up production but what was even more important was able to do machining work with an accuracy never known before. The invention was worth millions to the inventors and hundreds of millions to industry. The patents have long since expired. They are now the property of the public.

Some twenty years ago a young man whom I know very well whipped up a new rubber compound in his wife's kitchen. The domestic unpleasantness which may or may not have taken place during the cooking of this rubber is not of record. But he later sold the patent rights for something approaching a quarter of a million dollars. Millions have ridden on sanitary, durable rubber cushions as a result of his work.

The work of processing the applications that come into the Patent Office is done by a corps of 840 Examiners. Most of them are

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Alumni In The News:

1894—

Hill Montague *doesn't* ever expect to retire, he admitted in an interview with a Richmond reporter. Although 87 years old, he still puts in a full day of work as president of the Mutual Life Insurance Company of Virginia and also has time for his favorite hobby, fishing. He made the comment about retirement following 64 years of law practice and service in the Virginia General Assembly for seven sessions.

1900—

"I don't know anyone who is more liked by the lawyers who have worked with him." That tribute was paid to Claude M. Dean shortly before his retirement by United States Circuit Judge Morris A. Soper. Mr. Dean, who makes his home in Richmond, retired after 59 years' service as clerk of the United States Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit.

1902—

Dr. Cullen Pitt, of Richmond, has been elected president of the Middle Atlantic Life Insurance Medical Directors Club. He is medical director for Atlantic Life Insurance Company in Richmond.

1905—

Dr. Jay C. Hubbell, professor emeritus of English at Duke University, is visiting professor of American literature at the University of Virginia for the 1954-55 term. He is the author of the recently published book, "The South in American Literature, 1607-1900," which Duke officials say is the most extensive critical bibliography of Southern literature available.

1911—

Otto A. Lynch, Commonwealth's attorney for Norfolk County for the past 27 years, gave up that post to accept an appointment as county treasurer. Mr. Lynch, 67, will fill the unexpired term of the late Robert A. Robertson.

1912—

Third District Representative J. Vaughan Gary, of Richmond, has been initiated into the American Hellenic Educational Progressive Association, a fraternal group primarily for Americans of Greek descent.

1917—

Dr. Sam S. Hill, of Richmond, former president of Georgetown College, Georgetown, Ky., recently conducted a one-week revival at Sunset Hills Baptist Church here. Now retired, Dr. Hill was president of Georgetown College from 1942 to 1953.

1919—

Robert T. Ryland has been named superintendent of schools for the Richmond County-Westmoreland County school division. Mr. Ryland, principal of Farnham High School in Richmond County since 1941, was named to succeed T. Blake Newton, who will retire in October after 41 years' service as division school superintendent.

W. J. Powell, Jr., is the new director of the individual and fiduciary tax division of the State Department of Taxation. Formerly director of the division handling delinquent tax returns, he succeeded Claude E. Farrar, who resigned to enter private business. Mr. Powell has been with the State agency since 1939.

1921—

State Senator Garland Gray, of Waverly, has been elected a director of First and Merchants

Bank, Richmond. Mr. Gray, who is president of the Bank of Waverly in Sussex County, is serving this year as national president of the Ruritans.

1924—

Perry N. Jester presently is assigned as principal officer to the consular general of the American consulate at Barbados, British West Indies.

1925—

Add up another first for John R. Chappell, Jr., who is the first president of the recently organized Richmond Agents' Association. A Richmond pioneer in agency mutual insurance companies, he also was the first president of both the National Association of Mutual Insurance Agents and the Virginia-District of Columbia Mutual Agent's Association.

FATHER SON TEAM SERVES 50 YEARS

Like father, like son.

The congregation of Richmond's Park View Baptist Church held a special service in September marking 50 continuous years' service of father and son as pastors of the church.

Dr. Emmett Young Robertson, '25, has been pastor of Park View Baptist Church since 1932. His father, the Rev. William Edwin Robertson, served in the same capacity from 1904 to 1932.

1928—

The Rev. Dr. Wilbur S. Sheriff is continuing work of several years' standing as chairman of the Committee on Higher Education and Institutional Budget for the Pennsylvania Baptist Convention and as representative of the American Baptist Ministers and Missionaries Benefit Board to the board of managers of the Pennsylvania Baptist Convention.

Guy D. Mattox, auditor of disbursements for Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company of Virginia, has been elected president of the Richmond-First Club. Mr. Mattox was chairman of the Richmond Inter-Club Council in 1949.

1929—

F. Henry Garber has been elected as the Richmond City Council's representative on the City Planning Commission. He was named to a two-year term as the council's representative on the commission.

Colonel Joseph Cosby, president of Hargrave Military Academy, other administrative officials and the cadet corps teamed up to make a recent

BAGBY, '93, "ROLLS WITH THE TIDE"

At 93, William Fleet Bagby is the oldest resident of King and Queen County, his friends say; Bruington Baptist Church's oldest member (he's been one for 80 years) and longest-serving deacon (63 years), and one of the University of Richmond's oldest alumni.

He is believed to be the only man who has ever held all three offices in the Rappahannock Baptist Association—moderator, clerk and treasurer.

Mr. Bagby also once was a politician. After serving in the 1922 session of the Virginia General Assembly, "I decided I couldn't do much—too much politics—so I didn't run next time." He did a few years later, he said, unsuccessfully.

An insurance company once refused Mr. Bagby an insurance policy 60 years ago because he was underweight. "I got one later. It's still running," he told a Richmond newspaper.

Hamilton Crockford, writing in the Richmond *Times-Dispatch*, said Mr. Bagby "had learned to roll with the tide. He had no plans to be 100, or any other age. He had no plans. He was 93, and sharp, and that was all."

homecoming a memorable occasion for visiting alumni. The homecoming featured a preview of Hargrave's new \$300,000 combination academic and administration building.

1930—

Frank M. Lacy, textile manufacturer and a former athletic director at Martinsville High School, has been named chairman of the Martinsville School Board.

1933—

Major Charles H. Phaup, Jr. recently received an Oak Leaf cluster in lieu of a second Bronze Star Medal for outstanding performance of duty in Korea. Major Phaup also holds the Republic of Korea Presidential Unit Citation. At present, he is on assignment as Army advisor to the National Guard, Jacksonville, Fla.

A "million dollar salesman," Thomas Blanton Jones has been appointed supervisor of life agen-

BRYAN BUCKLES DOWN AS RICHMOND MAYOR

Richmond's new mayor, Thomas P. Bryan, '47, lost no time starting his new duties.

Minutes after he took office, the 35-year-old attorney told his fellow councilmen that Richmond's municipal government "should explore means of putting to use the co-operative spirit which has prevailed between our city and the neighboring counties of Henrico and Chesterfield."

He emphasized the need for co-operation because "ours is no longer a community confined within fixed political boundaries."

To explain his call for co-operation, Mayor Bryan said "it makes little sense for us in Richmond on the one hand to design and

finance an expensive project to take care of the needs of only our city, or perhaps a portion of it, and for our two neighboring counties on the other hand to finance the construction of a similar but separate expensive project for only those residents and establishments located in the adjacent county metropolitan area. Of course, our joint action should not be undertaken at the expense or to the detriment of any citizen or groups of citizens within the city whose needs must first be met."

As mayor, Bryan succeeds another U. of R. graduate, Edward E. Haddock, '34, who continues as a member of City Council.

CHAMPION BOWLES NEW CIRCUIT JUDGE

C. Champion Bowles, '26, has taken office as judge of Virginia's Ninth Judicial Circuit embracing Culpeper, Orange, Goochland and Louisa Counties.

He took the oath of office September 16 in brief ceremonies in Goochland Courthouse, the scene of many of his duties as Commonwealth's attorney for Goochland County from 1936 to 1947.

From 1947 until his appointment to the judgeship Judge Bowles served as an assistant State attorney-general.

He was endorsed for the judicial post by bar associations in the circuit's four counties.

The appointment was made by Governor Stanley, who named Judge Bowles to succeed the late Judge Burnett Miller, Jr.

cies for the Richmond Life Insurance Company. Jones is a member of the "million dollar round table," an honorary organization of life agents who write \$1,000,000 worth of new business in a single year. In his new position, Jones will have primary responsibility for development of agencies throughout the company's territory.

1934—

Dr. E. E. Haddock, who, as Mayor, was instrumental in making Triple-A baseball possible in Richmond, returned from his vacation this summer and immediately pitched in to make Virginians' Appreciation Day, September 5, a rousing success.

1936—

E. Starke Farley, vice-president of sales and public relations for the Richmond Engineering Company, spent his summer vacation taking a six-week intensive course in principles and practices of large-scale modern management at Cornell University.

1938—

Douglas W. Murphy, an attorney in Chester, Va., was selected by Governor Stanley as one of the seven members of the Richmond-Petersburg Turnpike Authority.

Engaged: Betty Beverley Granger to Stuart Schwartzchild, both of Richmond.

1939—

Reed Franklin Taylor, buyer for Marshall Field

RALPH ARTHUR ACCEPTS FERRUM COLLEGE PRESIDENCY

C. Ralph Arthur, '38, has changed jobs, and the new post, president of Ferrum Junior College, will enable him to again be of service to rural peoples.

The Rev. Mr. Arthur's appointment as president of Ferrum was announced by Dr. Roland P. Riddick, who said the school is looking to an expansion program that will strengthen vocational studies, particularly agriculture.

Dr. Riddick, chairman of the board of trustees, said he believed thousands of young Virginians are interested in low-cost, practical education to train them as farm owners

and Company, Chicago, is now living at 224 Ravine Road, Hinsdale, Illinois.

Captain Henry H. Dickinson left in September for Lisbon, Portugal, to assume his duties as a member of the Military Assistance Advisory Group for Portugal. He will advise the Portuguese Air Force on matters of supply.

1940—

H. Armistead Blackley was one of the three members of Richmond's real estate appraisal staff selected to attend a special course at Harvard University this summer. The course was sponsored by the American Institute of Real Estate Appraisers.

Captain Allan Phaup, Jr., on assignment with the USAF ROTC detachment at VMI, attended an eight-weeks school at the Air University, Maxwell Field, Alabama, this summer.

Robert Louis Stevenson's Silverado Journal, edited by Dr. John E. Jordan, will be off the presses early in November. Dr. Jordan is a member of the University of California's department of English.

Dr. J. M. Salsbury has been appointed manager of the Textile Resins Research Section of the Bound Brook Laboratories, American Cyanamid Company, in Stamford, Connecticut.

1941—

William Francis Parkerson, Jr., has been named assistant Commonwealth's attorney in Henrico County. Parkerson will retain his membership in the Richmond law firm of Davis, Parkerson and Williams in addition to his new duties.

1942—

Married: Betty Jean Badraun and Dr. Owen Gwathmey. Dr. and Mrs. Gwathmey are living in Washington, D. C.

It's a boy for Mr. and Mrs. George H. Shackelford. George, Jr., arrived June 8, 1954. His father said that Junior is of a size to make "Ed Merrick very happy about 18 years hence."

1943—

Engaged: Lucille Macbeth of Harpursville, N. Y. and Dr. John L. Decker of White Plains. The wedding will take place in December.

Marvin F. Cole has become a partner in the firm of Rooke, Merhige and Cole, 505 State Planters Bank Building, Richmond.

David E. Satterfield, III, Richmond City Councilman, donned the garb of a fighter pilot and the insignia of a Lieutenant Commander in the Navy for his two week vacation this summer. Commander of fighter squadron VF-661, Satterfield took part in a rocket strafing mission out in the Atlantic.

Warren M. Pace, a former member of the University of Richmond track team and football captain, has assumed his duties as assistant vice-president of the Atlantic Life Insurance Company. Mr. Pace and his family are now living at 416 Henri Road, Richmond.

1944—

The Rev. Ryland O. Reamy is searching for \$450,000.00. He is in Florida under the auspices of the Board of Education of the American Baptist Convention directing a fund raising campaign for Florida Normal and Industrial Memorial College.

1945—

Durwood Earl Baggett, Jr., is teaching at the Sunnyside-McKenney High School in McKenney, Virginia. He is president of the Dinwiddie Educational Association.

1946—

A daughter, Deborah Jeanne, is now ruling the household of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence E. Spiers, Jr. Deborah arrived July 8.

1947—

After receiving a B.D. degree at Southeastern Baptist Seminary in June 1954, the Rev. George Edward Reynolds has returned to Mt. Harmony Baptist Church in Rougemont, North Carolina, as pastor. He has served this church since January 1953.

Shelton T. Belsches is starting his first term as principal of Waverly High School.

1948—

It's a boy for Mr. and Mrs. Thad T. Crump. Thad, Jr. was born at St. Luke's Hospital, Richmond, on August 11.

RICHMOND CLUB

Organized last year as the local chapter of the University of Richmond General Alumni Society, the U of R Richmond Club, headed by William H. (Rusty) Warren, '48, president, urges all alumni in this area to join them in their many activities.

Activities of the club during the past year included the showing of football game pictures on the campus, an outing at Beaufort Springs in Chesterfield County, and the Homecoming Dance held at the Hotel John Marshall.

The club hopes to make its Homecoming Dance this year on November 5 as big a success as last year. Proceeds of the dance are given to the Alumni Fund.

Warren says that there are currently some 80 members of the club, but many more from the Richmond area should be included. He urges all alumni in this area to clip the coupon below; mail it along with \$2.00 and start participating in all of the Richmond Club activities.

Enclosed is \$2.00 for a year's membership in the U of R Richmond Club, Richmond Chapter of the General Alumni Society. (Make checks payable to the U of R Richmond Club.)

Name.....

Address.....

Mail to:

Martin L. Sholtzberger, Chairman
Membership Committee
University of Richmond, Virginia

Congratulations are in order for George O. McClary who received a master of science degree in psychology at Pennsylvania State University in August.

Raoul R. Herbert has joined Greentree's department store here as head of the accounting department and will be in charge of the inventory control and supervisor of the budget.

Married: Lulie Greenhow Jones to George Abbott Terry of Pamplin and Washington.

The Rev. Thomas Herbert Caulkins has accepted a call to the Branchville Baptist Church in Branchville, Va. He assumed his new duties in July.

The Rev. Walter B. Barger, pastor of Warsaw Baptist Church, was recently commended by National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis' President, Basil O'Connor, for his participation in the 1954 March of Dimes. Mr. Barger directed the Richmond County Campaign which increased the March of Dimes receipts over 1953 by 6 per cent.

Born: A daughter, Nancy Woodland, to Mr. and Mrs. Douglas M. Deringer.

A former University of Richmond basketball center, Doug Pitts has been appointed basketball coach at Randolph-Macon College. In addition to his duties as basketball coach, Pitts also will have charge of the track and cross-country teams and serve as physical education instructor.

Married: Dr. Barbara Jean Peters of Spencerport, N. Y., and the Rev. William Edwin Winn. The couple is living in Rochester, N. Y., where Mr. Winn is assistant pastor of the Greece Baptist Church.

Harry Coleman McGehee, Jr., resigned as Assistant Attorney-General of Virginia to enter the Protestant Episcopal Theological Seminary at Alexandria this fall. Attorney General J. Lindsay Almond, Jr., described his resigning assistant as "outstanding" and although expressing regret over McGehee's resignation, said he "profoundly ap-

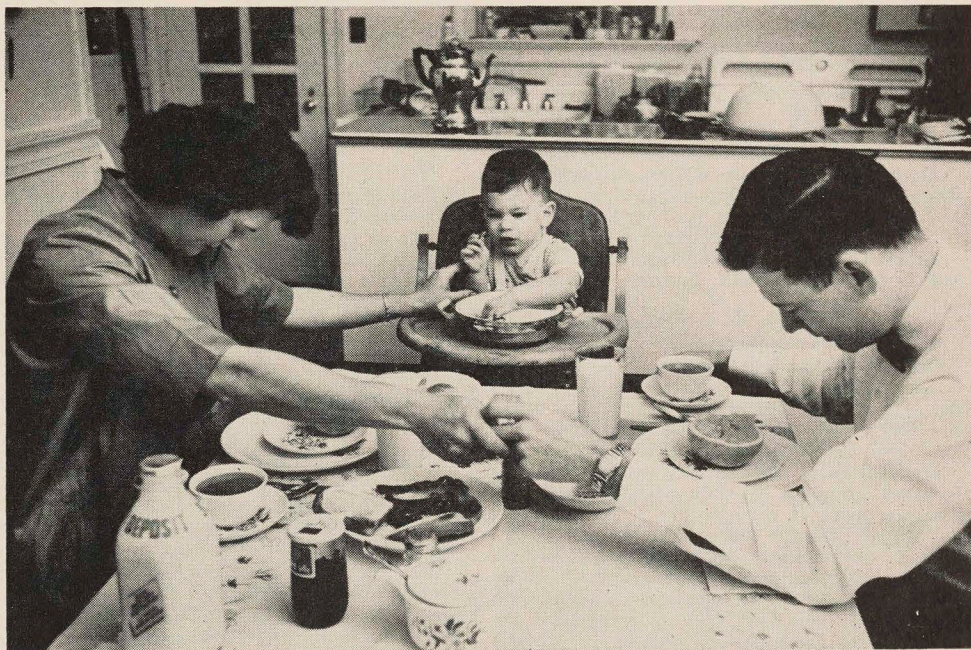
ADAMS PUBLISHES TWO NEW BOOKS

Dr. E. M. Adams, '41, is the author of two new books, "The Fundamentals of General Logic" and "Logic Problems," which have been published by a New York firm.

A review of the books, published in the Durham, N. C., *Herald*, said in part:

"Although these books were written to be used together as a text for college classes in logic, there can be no separation of town and gown in matters fundamental to participation in a democratic society. And what is the relevance of a test in logic to Americans? The author, an associate professor of philosophy at the University of North Carolina provides the answer.

"Persuasive discourse has its legitimate function as an instrument to be used in affecting or altering people's attitudes for or against something. However, when it is used as a substitute for sound reasoning and convincing arguments, to short-circuit and sidetrack clear and straight thinking, or to hide or distract attention from relevant issues and facts, it is being abused and constitutes the most dangerous threat to rationality. It has been by this subterfuge that the dictators of the modern world have triumphed. This is why the propaganda ministry is the most important agent of any totalitarian government."



McCall's Photo

"For this and all Thy many blessings . . ." With Dr. and Mrs. Tucker is two-year-old Jesse III. Another son, Jimmy, was born last December.

THE DOCTOR EVERYONE LOVES

"In the three years Dr. Jesse Tucker has practiced in Huddleston, Virginia, the town has become a better place to live. New families have come. There are new churches and new industries. Fewer people are sick. Fewer have died. 'Disorganized complaining,' one community leader puts it, 'has given way to organized action.' Huddleston (1950 population: 225) has been without a doctor from 1945 to 1951. Residents had to travel up to 30 miles to get a finger bandaged. Often an expectant mother couldn't get to a doctor in time.

"All this changed when 32-year-old Virginia-born Dr. Tucker moved in."

That's the way *McCall's* begins four pages of story and pictures of Dr. Jesse M. Tucker,

Jr., '47, "the doctor everyone loves."

He works round the clock, seeing up to seventy patients a day, as he serves 3,000 persons within a radius of fifteen miles.

The article tells too about Nancy (Nancy Hite Tucker to whom Jesse was married in 1947) who "shares his pride when he has saved a desperately sick patient, worries with him when he knows one of his old people is going to die," and in emergencies serves as his assistant.

Jesse earned his M.D. from the Medical College of Virginia in 1951 and then served an internship at Norfolk General Hospital.

As medical aid man with the 335th Infantry of the 84th Division he won the bronze star with oak leaf cluster.

plauds" the step taken by McGehee. "The highest calling that can come to any person is the call to the gospel ministry," Almond said.

1950—

Frederick T. Gray, first assistant to the State attorney-general, has been elected president of the Chesterfield Lions Club.

The "world premiere" of John Edwin Sutton was announced July 8, 1954, by his "producers" Joan and Boyd Sutton at Kentucky Baptist Hospital.

Married: Mary Louise Boehling and Robert Kingston Duley. Mr. and Mrs. Duley are making their home in Charlottesville.

The Rev. Thomas Matthew Woo was ordained into the Baptist Ministry in July. He has accepted a position with the Virginia State Mission Board to direct work in two goodwill centers in the southwestern part of Virginia, where he and his wife Anne (Westhampton, '48) and two children are making their home in St. Charles.

The Rev. Raymond J. Dietrich has accepted an appointment as chaplain in the United States Navy.

Born: A daughter, Cheryl Ann, to Mr. and Mrs. John T. Smith, August 1, 1954.

William C. Farmer has been appointed agency supervisor of the Richmond general agency of Aetna Life Insurance Company.

Married: Jean Mae Hall of Beaverdam to William Corbin Kritzer.

William Jennings Hargis, Jr., received a doctor of philosophy degree in zoology from Florida State University in May.

Thomas G. Harper, Jr. has been appointed a local representative of the Guardian Life Insurance Company of America. Harper was previously employed by the Henrico School Board as a teacher and administrative assistant.

1951—

John Edwin Williams was awarded a Ph.D. degree in June by the State University of Iowa.

Julius H. ("Skip") Fanney, Jr., walked away with top honors in the School of Public Health at the University of Michigan where he received his Master of Public Health Degree in June. Because of his outstanding academic record he was elected to membership in Delta Omega, national honorary professional public health fraternity. Skip has returned to Richmond and is employed as an

Industrial Hygienist by the Virginia State Health Department.

Stuart C. Nottingham, a fourth year student at MCV, chalked up an unusual "first" in his summer job. He was the first—and only—"public health physician aide" employed by the State Health Department. The title was coined to describe his position as the first medical student to work as an assistant to a county health officer.

Married: Doris Elaine Walters of Stanley and Ray Huey Smith of Midlothian, June 26. Mr. and Mrs. Smith are living in Richmond where both are attending the Medical College of Virginia.

Albert Duke Murden is a history and English Master at the Louisville Country Day School, Louisville, Ky.

Bruce L. Randolph, Jr. has been appointed supervisor of housing sanitation in the Richmond City Health Department. He received his Master of Science in Public Health degree from the University of North Carolina in June and returned to the city staff as a sanitarian, which position he held until his recent appointment as supervisor.

Married: Mary Anne Carrington and Wellford Sommers Estes, Jr. on July 31. Mr. and Mrs. Estes are living in Richmond.

Engaged: Frances Irene Jeter to Robert W. Duling. The wedding will take place October 16.

Walter W. Anderson, Jr., has a busy winter ahead. He has accepted a position as minister to the Disciples of Christ students enrolled at the University of Alabama. In addition he will be teaching and working toward his doctorate in history. The Rev. Anderson received his B.D. degree in June from the College of the Bible in Lexington, Ky.

Engaged: Barbara Anne Hough of Fredericksburg to Robert Braxton Miller of Fairmont, W. Va.

Paul R. Garber was ordained into the Baptist ministry in June and is now pastor of a new church at Lee Hall, Va.

After receiving a B.D. degree from Colgate Rochester Divinity School in the spring, Albert Calhoun Pittman accepted a position as associate pastor of the First Baptist Church of Dayton, Ohio. He and his wife, the former Julie Wann, a Westhampton grad, announce the birth of their first son Christopher Albert on September 15.

1952—

C. Norman Woerner has donned civilian garb after a stint in the army and is now living at 618 Lillian Terrace, Union, New Jersey.

Charles C. Beckett has been ordained into the Baptist ministry. He plans to resume his studies at the Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary at Wake Forest this fall.

Kenneth A. Tobias received a degree of Master in Business Administration at graduation exercises at Harvard University in June.

Engaged: Peggy Walters and Fontaine M. Sneed, of Stafford, Va.

Jack Hipps is in Los Angeles working with the Moral Rearmament movement.

The Rev. Rex Jennings Bennett has been ordained as a Baptist minister and has accepted a call to the Gibeon and Smithland Baptist Churches in the Northern Neck of Virginia.

James W. Payne, Jr., received a Master of Laws degree from Harvard University in June.

1953—

William Carter received his master's degree from New York University School of Retailing and is now employed by Miller and Rhoads in Richmond.

Born: A daughter, Sharon Andrea, to Lt. and Mrs. Andrew G. Adams, Jr., April 14.

Naval Aviation Cadet James S. Gahagan graduated from the U. S. Naval School, Pre-Flight, Pensacola, Fla., in June. Cadet Gahagan is now assigned to the U. S. Naval Auxiliary Air Station, Whiting Field, Milton, Fla., where he is engaged in primary flight training.

The highest first-year average in the 84-year history of the Law School was compiled by John Willis Edmonds, III, of Accomac. John evidently carried to the law school his record-breaking ability, first shown at Richmond College where he

completed the four year course in three years and was a dean's list student.

Married: Betty Jane Oliver and Hugh Arthur West. Lt. and Mrs. West are making their home in Aberdeen, Md., where he is stationed with the U. S. Army.

Married: Doris Reine Lowery and James Rothgeb Sipe, June 26, in Harrisonburg, Va.

Married: Norma Faye Raney and John Mason Bishop, of Roanoke, August 6.

Thomas J. Harlan, Jr., was commissioned an Ensign in the Navy at graduation exercises, June 4, at the Newport, R. I. Navy Base. Ensign Harlan is now serving as a Junior Officer aboard the U.S.S. *Missouri*.

William H. Lohmann has also been commissioned as an Ensign in the Navy and at present is serving aboard the U.S.S. *Stickell*.

The Rev. E. Hugh Ragland and the congregation of the Friendship Baptist Church have enjoyed services held in their new air conditioned building in South Richmond during the hot summer months. Proudly, the Rev. Ragland says that the church is growing so rapidly that a new building program may be necessary to accommodate the expanding membership.

Married: Betty Lewis Montgomery and Cecil Elwood Marsh on August 7. The bride is a graduate of Westhampton College. Mr. and Mrs. Marsh are living in Louisville, Kentucky.

Married: Miss Virginia Phillips LeSueur, a Westhampton grad, and William Joseph Carter, on August 28. The Carters are making their home in Richmond.

Bruce Lee Rockwell has been ordained as a Baptist minister and is working toward his B.D. degree at Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary.

1954—

Many 1954 grads are continuing their studies in preparation for the ministry. The following are enrolled in Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Louisville, Ky.: Robert Lewis Carlton, Thomas William Downing, Jr., James Edward Duncan, Jr.

Edwin Lewis Bangs has entered Eastern Baptist Theological Seminary in Philadelphia. Southwestern Baptist Seminary in Ft. Worth, Texas, was the choice of Charles Grantland Fuller, V. Allen Gaines, and Charles Frazier Stanley, while Lawrence Edward Matthews, and Richard Lester Reynolds are enrolled at Southeastern Baptist Seminary at Wake Forest, N. C.

Preparing for the Episcopal Ministry, William Russell Wooten, Jr. is attending the Virginia Theological Seminary in Alexandria.

The Medical College of Virginia claimed several of the class of 1954. They are Llewellyn Tucker Flippen, School of Dentistry; Henry Pat Bamber, School of Dentistry; and Ambler Ray Goodwin.

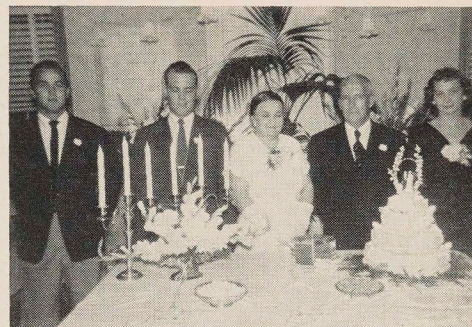
Irby Bland Brown is enrolled in the University of Virginia graduate school while W. Douglas Clark has entered the University's Medical School, and William Franklin Thomas, Jr. is studying law at the University.

After serving as a laboratory assistant at the University of Richmond last summer, Hector Davis, III, is doing graduate work at Princeton University.

Careers in the service have temporarily claimed the attention of several '54'ers. They are Durwood Washington Hill, Arthur Dick Howard, William Sawtelle Ratchford, II, Clarence Lee Beebe, Donald Leigh Foutz, Donald Eugene Richeson, Albert Lee Thomas, Jr., Wilbur Eugene Thomas, Robert Carroll Wood, and Edgar Lawrence Turlington, Jr.

J. C. Roberson, who received his law degree in August has been named the assistant director of the State Division of Statutory Research and Drafting.

Married: Eugenia Louise Farrow and Robert Elliot Brown on August 21.



The Anderson Clan of Petersburg, Va., can claim an almost perfect record of attendance at the University of Richmond. Shown celebrating "Mom's and Dad's" 25th wedding anniversary are (left to right) John, senior at Richmond College; Charles, Jr., class of '54; Mrs. Anderson (the former Dorothy Daughtry, Westhampton College, '27); the Rev. Charles Anderson, '26; and Daughter Dorothy, who spoiled the Spider record by matriculating at Madison College in September.

Engaged: Anna Sue Howard and Allen C. Thomas of Martinsville. Mr. Thomas is attending the Medical College of Virginia.

Married: Natalie Sylvia Cohen and Fred Bennett Bisger on July 11.

Married: Mary Kathleen Cole, a Westhampton graduate, and Willard E. Lee on July 24. The couple is living in Richmond while Mr. Lee completes his senior year at the Medical College of Virginia.

Married: Lois Virginia Heatwole and Donald Eugene Arey.

James Clifton Hughes and Betty Jane Norton were married in the First Baptist Church, Danville, on August 8.

Jabe F. Cooper, Jr., began work in June in the accounting department of the General Electric Company, Pittsfield, Mass.

Section salesman for the Procter and Gamble Company, Thomas Hicks Markley is now living in Lawrenceville, Va.

Julian Vaughan Gary, Jr., is working as a technician and assistant director in the television studio of Station WTVR in Richmond.

Born: A daughter, Mary Hunter, to Mr. and Mrs. William Emil Noble, Jr. July 7.

Albert Charles Pecuch has entered the training program of the North American Insurance Companies. He is located in Richmond.

Billy Conrad Hill is an agent with the Hill Realty Company in Warwick, Va.

Edward Earl Dunklee has accepted a position as a junior trainee with the Virginia Tuberculosis Association. After completing 10 months of training with the Association he will be assigned as Field Representative for the five counties in the extreme western part of Virginia.

Lawyer Samuel Carson Stowers has set up practice in Altavista, Va.

John Lyn Reynolds recently accepted a position with the National Security Agency.

Walter Francis Witt, Jr. is working for the telephone company until he enters the Army as a 2nd Lieutenant in March of 1955.

Robert Brenaman Wrenn is sales manager for the Richmond Office Supply Company.

Stephen George Wulchin has accepted a position as assistant manager and chief engineer with Radio Station WHAP in Hopewell, Va.

After doing dental research at the Medical College of Virginia since his graduation in February, John Pratt Yerby recently began a tour of duty in the Army.

Howard Eric Zimmerman has accepted a position as assistant supervisor with Lenox Homes, Inc., Long Island, New York.

Kindling The Fire

(Continued from page 10)

engineers, electrical, mechanical or chemical. The majority of them are also legally trained or are young men still studying law in the night schools of Washington. (The University of Richmond did the Office no small service in affording an opportunity for many of the young examiners to continue their law studies while the Patent Office was in Richmond from 1942 to 1946.) The main task of the Examiner is to determine whether the alleged invention is in fact new, is useful, and involves invention.

After determining that the application presents a device that is new and useful, the Examiner must determine whether it meets the test of patentable invention. The courts have never defined just what invention is, some have used the term that it is the result of a "flash of genius." What that means is undefined, but the Examiner is supposed to know what it means as applied to each case that comes before him. A tremendous amount of work is involved in examining the cases. It is hard, but not all drudgery. The Examiner must realize that inventions are the dreams of inventors, or better their brain children. They are very sensitive if their brain offspring is criticized or if they are refused a patent for it. But the task of the Examiner has an inspiring aspect too. He is one of the first to see the new-born child. Of these inventions he feels

*These are the visions of that few
Who in a lump of ore could see
The things that they thought ought to be
And worked to make their dreams come true.*

*And working turned thoughts into things;
They took the iron ore in the raw
And made of it the things they saw;
Turned hills of iron to piston rings.*

*They taught us how to span the seas
By making coal and iron ore
Speak with sparks from ship to shore,
We live with dreamers such as these.*

PARKER CHERRY CHOSEN FOR NAVY PROMOTION

Navy Commander Parker E. Cherry, who recently was selected for promotion to captain, is director of the appellate defense division in the office of the Judge Advocate General (JAG) of the Navy.

The division he heads furnishes counsel to accused Navy and Marine Corps personnel who have cases pending before boards of review in the JAG's office and the Court of Military Appeals.

Commander Cherry, who entered the Navy in 1940, was commanding officer of the USS Canfield, a destroyer escort which participated in the invasions of the Marshalls, Carolines, Marianas and Iwo Jima. Before becoming a Navy law specialist in 1946, he

was division commander of Destroyer Escort Division One.

He authored the article, "The Accused's Defense on Appeal," which appeared in the July issue of the JAG Journal.

ROMANCE BLOSSOMS ON U of R CAMPUS

You might call it romance and education. But whatever you call it, the facts remain the same.

On the campus during the Summer of 1953, a member of Phi Gamma Delta introduced his fraternity brother, Robert Claudius Markham, '53, to Mary Josephine Arnold.

In several months she was wearing Bob's fraternity pin. On March 26 of this year she became Mrs. Robert Markham.

And in August both received degrees from the University of Richmond, Bob winning his master of arts degree and Mary Jo her bachelor of arts.

Bob, who compiled a straight-A academic record, has a \$500 scholarship to help in his work at T. C. Williams Law School. But while en route to his law degree, he and his wife will work, she as a substitute teacher and he as a part-time employee of a grocery store.

RICHMOND CLUB SPONSORS DANCE

The Richmond University of Richmond Club will again sponsor the annual Homecoming dance, to be held this year at the John Marshall Hotel, Virginia Room, November 5, 9:30 p.m. The admission will be \$2.10, stag or drag, and all proceeds, after expenses, will go to the U of R Alumni Fund.

Since the capacity of the Virginia Room is limited to 350 couples, alumni should order tickets early. It is doubtful that any will be available at the door the night of the dance. Send your check to the Alumni Office or see one of the following: Bob Bateman, Fred Bisger, Joe Bowman, Gus Brown, John Campbell, Bucky Cavedo, Cary Davis, "Doot" Dunford, Bill Farmer, Bill Fitzhugh, John Garber, or Preston Harper.

Also, Jim Hopkins, Tojo Hyer, Corky Johns, Ed Kline, Durwood Nuckols, Harry Pattie, Al Pecuch, John Reynolds, Spillman Short or Rusty Warren, President.

See EUROPE and the HOLY LANDS with alumna FRIEDA MEREDITH DIETZ

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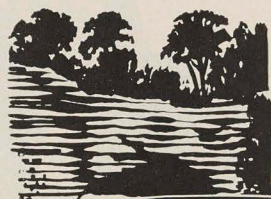
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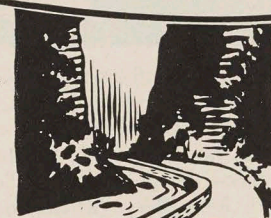
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Westhampton Class Notes

1915 Secretary

MRS. W. L. O'FLAHERTY
(Celeste Anderson)
3603 Moss Side Ave., Richmond, Va.

Louise Goepfarth (Mrs. Bernard Schaaf) is proud of her first grandchild, Bernard, III, born in July. Bernard, Jr., received his Master of Metallurgical Engineering degree at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Troy, N. Y., this June and is now at work on his doctorate there.

1916 Secretary

MISS FRIEDA M. DIETZ
2100 Stuart Ave., Richmond, Va.



Pictured above at the Villa d'Este, Tivoli, near Rome, Italy are six Westhampton alumnae. They are, left to right, Russell Elliott Ewing '48, Bowling Green, Va., Frances Glassell Beale '18, Bowling Green, Va., Louise Reams Hundley '15, Charlottesville, Va., Norma Woodward Throckmorton '16, Richmond, Va., Celeste Anderson O'Flaherty '15, Richmond, Va., and Frieda Meredith Dietz '16, Richmond, Va. This picture was taken in June, and later another alumna of Richmond College, Mrs. T. Nash Broadbudd, principal of William Fox school, joined us.

The group (15 in all) sailed May 19, and returned to the United States on July 14—both times on the *Queen Elizabeth*. They had a grand time—the usual "grand tour"—France, Italy, Switzerland, Austria, Germany, Holland, England, Scotland.

Norma Throckmorton wrote a "poem a day" or more, and here is one we're including as a sample:

Rome—7: P.M. Blues

My feet are very weary!
My brain is quite dulled.
Through every chamber
A thousand thoughts are culled.
Was Caesar's last naue Nero?
Was Brutus the King
Who built a golden castle,
And that Colosseum thing?
Was Michaelangelo a sculptor,
A painter or a slave?
Is the Parthenon a basilica?
Does St. Peter's have a nave?
Was Rome founded by Remus
And his brother Romulus?
Or is that a fable
That has been told to us?
A day on tour can so confuse me!
My brain is in a mess.
Maybe by morning
The truth I can digest.

1917 Secretary

ANNE-RUTH HARRIS
6705 Kensington Ave., Richmond, Va.

Gladys Holleman Barlow had her first grandchild in June, Nancy Taylor Barlow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Barlow of Smithfield, Va. Please send news of yourselves to me.

1923 Secretary

MRS. T. J. LOVING (Virginia Kent)
Stage Junction, Va.

Sixteen members of '23 were back for Westhampton's 40th Anniversary in June. We were delighted to see Mary Mitchell Clifford and Evelyn Sanford Wamsley, who were unable to attend our last reunion. I also saw Evelyn this summer at Blacksburg while attending the State Federation of Garden Clubs' Flower Show Judging School.

It is good to hear that Camilla Wimbish Lacy's husband is improving and is now able to return to his business. I am thankful to report the same of my husband, who was also quite ill this summer.

Tom Headlee, Ethney Selden's son, has just finished his term in the Navy and is studying at Richmond College. Louise Beck Morris' son, Lloyd, is a senior at Richmond College.

'23 is proud to have six daughters at Westhampton again this year. They are: Mary Wingate Gray (Aggie Taylor), Mary Ellen Thomas (Rosa Sanders), Lee Field (Virginia Epes), Kitty Clark (Katherine Essex), Carolyn Wood (Gladys Nuckols), and Betty Beryl Schenk (Elizabeth Hill).

Miss Lutz is back from her wanderings in

Hawaii and Japan full of new health and a great store of fresh ideas. Last spring the class of '57, in her absence, elected her as class sponsor. The president of the class is Kitty Clark.

I enjoyed hearing from Glenna Loving Norvell, Elmira Ruffin Bowen and Margaret Ostergren Edwards. We missed you in June. Margaret's son, Donny, attends V.P.I. He spent six weeks of the summer at the Geology Field Camp in Saltville, Va.

Dorothy Sadler Corpew had an interesting letter from Mildred Campbell Broome. She was still in Singapore in May, but was planning to leave for England with her husband during the summer, where they will join their son, Don, before returning to Virginia.

Gladys Nuckols Wood teaches in Waynesboro High School. Ada Arthur Deacon was in a car accident last winter. We hope that she has fully recovered by now.

1924 Secretary

MRS. WALKLEY E. JOHNSON
(Virginia Clore)

4633 Leonard Parkway, Richmond, Virginia

Mary Peple has done it again! She not only won the American Legion Auxiliary contest for her essay, "Why I Teach" for the State of Virginia, but also for the Southern Division, and finally for the nation. She received War Bonds of \$25, \$50, and \$250 and will have her essay published in *Parents Magazine*. Congratulations, Mary! This summer Mary and Wilhelmina Wright had a lovely vacation trip to Hershey, Pennsylvania; Plainfield, N. J. and New York City.



The Class of 1923 at Westhampton College is doing itself proud by having seven representatives on the campus this year. Seated, left to right, are Josephine Tucker, Dean of Students and Hannah Coker, Assistant Professor of Music. Carrying on for their mothers, members of the Class of '23, are (back row, left to right) Lee Feild, daughter of Virginia Epes Feild; Mary Ellen Thomas, daughter of Rosa Sanders Thomas; Carolyn Wood, daughter of Gladys Nuckols Wood; Betty Beryl Schenk, daughter of Elizabeth Hill Schenk; and Kitty Clark, daughter of Katherine Essex Clark. [Not included in the picture is Mary Wingate Gray, daughter of Agnes Taylor Gray.]

virus. We were so glad to have Madolyn's letter, but did miss her presence.

Helen Orpin Wenzel sent us greetings and best wishes from Winter Haven, Florida. She wrote that she, Fred, and their daughter Judy were driving to California for a convention of food technologists and could not get back for the reunion.

We were saddened by the news of the death of Mary Stevens Jones' mother in June and of Madolyn Freund Bente's father in March. We all extend our sympathies.

Each of you who were not there was greatly missed. I'm sure you would like for me to list those who did return. They were: From Richmond—Helen Moon, Clare Johnson Wayt, Jimmie Stuessy Mattox, Mary Richardson Butterworth, Tom Rudd, Violet Cervarich Simpson, and Virginia Perkins Yeaman; Louise Hardaway Boswell of Burkeville; Bunny Harlan Patterson, Danville; Frances Sykes DeHart, Blacksburg; Thelma Pruden Stanton, Alexandria; Mary Wilson McMillan, Arlington; Rosalie Gore Parsons, Rockingham, N. C.; Trudy Ryland Harlan, Birmingham, Ala.; Mary Wright, Roanoke; Pearl Powell Prillaman, Bassett; Louise Britton and Mildred Pope Andersen, Norfolk; and Doris Turnbull Wood, Ithaca, N. Y. Doris is Associate Director of Placement at Cornell University.

Adeline Richardson Muller writes that she went to New York City for training as a nurse after she graduated from Westhampton. She was married in 1940 to Howard E. Muller and is living in Catskill, N. Y. where she is kept busy with church work and with the Greene County Health Association, especially helping with chest clinics and teaching parents' classes in sex education for children in various parts of the county. This was the first I had heard from Adeline since '29 and was so glad to receive the news.

George and Billye Williams Thomas and their daughter Ann Lee were down the latter part of June. They were here the same week end that Ernest and I had Tom and Virginia Perkins Yeaman and their son Tommy visiting us—so we had reunion (small scale) all over again. Virginia and her family also took a trip to Florida this summer, Tom attending the Lambda Chi Alpha Convention while there.

Jimmie Stuessy Mattox and her family also spent time in Miami during the summer and Mary Richardson Butterworth and her family had a trip to Bermuda.

I know you will all be sorry to hear of Mary Pillow McClure's death which occurred in Richmond during the summer. She was survived by one daughter, her husband having died several years ago. Mary was a chemist with the American Tobacco Company.

Violet Cervarich Simpson's son, Billy, entered Randolph-Macon College in September.

Mary Taylor Copenhaver was injured in a taxicab accident the first of the summer and has spent most of her vacation in a cast. I hear that she is back at school this fall, however.

There are two changes of address to note: Anna Hardaway White has moved into her new home at 406 Linden Avenue, Oxford, N. C.

Kate Harmon Wahlin writes that she and her husband are still "ranching" but the community has become so urban that her address has been changed to 321 E. Loop Drive, Camarillo, California.

The Round Robin has not been heard of since Kate mailed it to someone in the Richmond area over a year ago. We will call it lost and start another. The new one will be sent first to Agnes Jones, then on to the end of the alphabetical list, leaving all of us Richmond alumnae to get it last and pass it on locally. Let's place a limit of two weeks on it, so that the news will still be news when we receive it.

Ikey Fugate had a visit to Ruth McCulloch in Bluefield, West Virginia in August but I have not been able to contact her for news so far.

Our summer was very pleasant but uneventful except for our daughter, Frances Wyatt, who had a marvelous two months in Europe and the British Isles. She was graduated from Richmond Pro-

fessional Institute last June and is at present working with the Welfare Department in Richmond. When we were in New York in June to "see her off" I fully intended to call Carlene Wagner, but left her address at home. Sorry, Carlene.

1925 Secretary
MRS. DAVIS T. RATCLIFFE
 (Idaline McVeigh)
 6 Hillside Road, Baltimore 10, Maryland

Martha Lipscomb Walsh has moved from Newark to Monroe, N. Y. Her husband is with a utility company there. Martha said they were both so glad to get out of a metropolitan area into a smaller town. Her new address is Berry Road, Monroe, N. Y.

Our sympathy goes out to Mildred Jones who lost her mother last spring. Mildred, who has taught in Charlottesville, Va., for many years, is teaching in Culpeper, her home town, this year.

Rebecca Brockenbrough spent her vacation in England and Europe this summer and is now back on the faculty of Longwood College in Farmville.

Elizabeth Tyree Jordan left a few weeks ago for an extended tour of foreign countries. Her son, Charles, was married this summer.

Gladys Wright Cocke's son, Tomty, was married a year ago and is living in Nashville.

1928 Secretary
MRS. LOUIS S. CRISP (Louise Massey)
 210 College Circle, Staunton, Virginia

Sarah Cudd Gaskins' daughter, Nancy, was married in June to Mr. James Wesley Floyd, Jr. The wedding and reception, which followed, were in the First Baptist Church of Spartanburg, South Carolina.

A note in July from Marie Lake contained her contribution to our Alumnae Fund and announcement of her moving to 17 East 89th Street, New York 28, New York. I feel sure she would be delighted to see or talk with some of you in the same area.

In August there were two surprises; a long letter from Cecelia Hunt Wright in Cairo, Georgia, and a telephone conversation with Helen Covey Milius. Helen was in Staunton for a few hours shopping with her husband, Tom, and young daughter. They have moved from New York to Albemarle County, near Charlottesville, where they have bought a real country place, without lights, without plumbing, etc. All the "withouts" have been added this past summer and they hope to have everything in order by fall. It will be good having Helen back in Virginia.

Cecelia's letter was full of news about her growing family. Her oldest son, Bobby, is following his mother's example. He is President of Student Government at his high school and served as a delegate to Boys' State at Georgia Tech this past summer. "Hunt" was acting as chairman of the emergency polio drive.

1929 Secretary
MRS. ERNEST W. ANDERSON
 (Mildred Pope)
 5101 Powhatan Ave., Norfolk 8, Va.

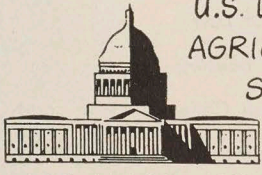
We are so sorry that more of you could not attend our reunion in June. There were nineteen of us who did come back and we had a wonderful time. The Richmond girls really deserve a vote of thanks and appreciation for the preparation and entertaining that they did. Mary Richardson Butterworth had us at her home for a buffet supper on Friday night and Tom Rudd entertained our class for brunch on Sunday. It was fun seeing everyone and catching up on what had happened during the years.

Miss Withers sent us a note of regret for not being able to be with us. We also had one from Catherine Branch who is living with her invalid mother in Grovetown, Georgia.

Bernice Hall Hendrix wrote a very newsy letter from Edinburg, Texas, where her husband is teaching in Pan American College. It sounds like wonderful living there in the Rio Grande Valley.

Billye Williams Thomas was disappointed at not being able to attend, but with Ann Lee still in school and the New Hampshire commencement on the same dates as our reunion she just couldn't make it.

Madolyn Freund Bente had her plans all made to attend when her son, Rick, became ill with a



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1930 Secretary

MRS. EDWARD F. OVERTON

(Frances Willis)

1602 Bellevue Avenue, Richmond, Va.

Thelma Bryant is now Mrs. Hutton. She was married in June to an architect from Newport News.

Nancy Cassell Kingsley is now Mrs. Earnest Maddy and is living in Scotland Neck, North Carolina, where she is teaching.

I enjoyed seeing Corinne Morecock this summer when she was visiting Alice Connell. They were leaving the next day for a trip on the Skyline Drive. Alice and Jean Collier Withers had a vacation trip to Old Point Comfort and saw Margaret Oliver Saunders and Shirley Gannaway Cornick. Shirley is president of the P.T.A. in Yorktown this year.

Lib Jones continues to do outstanding work in the teaching field and was in Richmond recently, speaking in the interest of teacher recruitment.

Priscilla Kirkpatrick Millea writes that she keeps busy with part time work in a florist shop and says she's already planning to come back for our next reunion.

Dottie Abbott Wood's son was at Camp Virginia, directed by Coach Pitt, again this summer. We sent our two youngest also, Gene and Jimmy.

Our daughter Margaret was awarded a scholar-

ship to the Summer School of Music at Mary Washington College and had a fine eight weeks' course there.

Chrissie Lowe Logan's daughter, Margaret, was a Dean's list student last year at Westhampton and is now Westhampton sports editor for the *Collegian*.

Miss Lough is making a fine recovery after breaking her hip in a fall last commencement, and began part time teaching again at R.P.I. recently.

We were distressed over the death of Margaret Oliver Saunders' husband of a heart attack on October 1. Alice Connell and I went to the funeral. He had had a heart attack two years ago and at that time had had to give up the coaching he loved and had gone into automobile sales work. Margaret's address is 5445 Glenhaven Crescent, Norfolk, Virginia, if any of you should want to write to her.

Send me news about yourself and your family and be thinking about June, '55.

1931 Secretary

MISS MARGARET LEAKE

408 N. Meadow Street, Richmond, Va.

Our news seems to be taking an upward trend. The sick are feeling better and we have a wedding.

Leone Cooper is back from a trip to University Hospital in Charlottesville. She will preside as

chairman over the meeting of school librarians at V.E.A.

Amelia Ullman is feeling much better after several trips to Medical College during the summer. She is an allergy victim.

Louise Sanford had a grand trip to Cuba this summer to visit her sister Virginia and her family.

In the spring, Louise Schmidt was married to James F. Newcomb of Boston. They sailed that afternoon and have been travelling in Europe since. They are now settled in a villa in Florence situated on the banks of the Arno and from which they have a panoramic view of Florence. Louise's husband shares her interest in music and at one time was organist for the American Church in Paris.

1932 Secretary

MRS. CHARLES W. SCARBOROUGH

(Zephia Campbell)

5109 Sylvan Road, Richmond, Va.

The Scarboroughs vacationed at Hungry Mother State Park this summer and while there we went to Chilhowie to see Ruth Cole Weber's parents. Mrs. Cole told me that I missed Ruth and her two youngest by just a week. They had spent two weeks at the farm while Matt and Blanchard, the teen-ager, had a fishing trip in the Great Smokies. Ruth wrote me later that Blanchard, as part of a Scout project, had helped to build and paddle a canoe 40 miles down the Elk River near Huntsville, Alabama, where the Webbers live.

I'm glad to report that our son, who entered Albert Hill Junior High this fall, was one of the lucky ones to draw Phyllis Perkinson for Home Room teacher. He also has her for History and English and he echoes the opinion of her other pupils, "She's really swell!"

And now for our babies! Laura Clark Burch has a son, William Dandridge, who was born September 2, in Norfolk. Laura, who also has a little girl nearly two, is living in Norfolk while her husband, who is a Captain in the Navy, is in the Pacific.

Anne Sadler Garrett also has a son, Robert Evans, born at MCV hospital on September 9. Anne and Roy are now living in Richmond at 4700 Radford Avenue. Both Anne and Laura wrote Valerie how delighted they were to have sons.

We now have our first grandchildren to report—not future Westhamptonites, however!

Mary Templeman Marshall's daughter, Ann Winston, had a son, David Marshall Jones, on April 15. Can you imagine Mary a grandmother?

Gwen Graham Ridenour is our other proud grandmother. Her daughter, Jean, had a son, Charles William Appich III, here in Richmond on August 11.

If you have a new baby, grandchild, degree, name or address, why not write us all about it?

1933 Secretary

MISS GERTRUDE DYSON

1500 Wilmington Ave., Richmond, Va.

Marian West had a wonderful summer trip. She drove to Nova Scotia with her parents. Marian's just been elected president of the Classical Association of Virginia for the coming '54-'56 period.

Archie Fowlkes had a holiday in the mountains at Nimrod Hall. Ann Welch with family also vacationed in the mountains while her older son, Jack, was abroad.

Mollie Moorman Simpson with her two children had a visit in Maryland with Carolyn Thompson Broadus, '32. Later Mollie drove on to New York for sightseeing.

Phoebe Drewry Thiermann spent a few days with Caroline Cutchin Powell.

Matilda visited Edna Earl in August. They came to Richmond for lunch—bringing the Reynolds sisters Jane and Mildred. Camilla, Phoebe, Kat Hardy and Gertrude joined them for lunch. Edna Earl with her husband had a trip to Nassau last May.

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The summer has been fun for everyone I've talked to.

While Nancy Davis Seaton and her family were in Florida, she saw Evelyn Stuessy who lives at Miami Shores. She has a daughter who is a junior in college and a son in high school, who is planning to enter the ministry. Now the choice bit of news from that family is about Stuessy herself. She is a Wedding Consultant!

Now that Margaret Owens Young has moved from the large house to an apartment (15 Malvern Manor), I know she has more time on her hands for gleaning tidbits—so be prepared, Margaret, to step into these shoes next year.

Katherine Brown Van Allen visited her parents here in July, stayed in Urbanna for several days, and traveled to Vermont and Lake Champlain, before returning home to Endicott, N. Y.

Helen Hulcher took a 5 day cruise to Bermuda in June and visited her sister in Florida in August. That is the kind of nice thing that happens to school teachers, girls!

Erma Gay Cecil took a trip through the Smokies. In August, while in Atlantic City, she heard Vaughn Monroe at the Steel Pier.

Virginia Watkins Ellenberg went to Atlantic City also this summer. She accompanied her husband, Lloyd (of Lloyd's) to Knoxville, where he took a course in Cosmetology at the University of Tennessee.

For the above four news items all credit goes to Frances Lundin who vacationed on the Rapahannock during the summer.

As for me, I've thoroughly enjoyed getting settled in our new home in Westham. (After 20 years I'm back—almost on the Campus!) Our family has had some gay rides around the campus in the children's pony cart. Never thought I'd be caring for a horse, but it's been fun. If you see a stray pet, "Tony, the Pony," please send him home.

Now it's up to each of you to help this new secretary along—so let's have some news from some others for the next issue.

1936 Secretary
MRS. WILLIAM S. HOPSON, III
 (Helen Denoon)
 3404 West Franklin St., Richmond 21, Va.

Our sincere sympathy is extended to Margaret Bowers who lost her father this summer.

Muriel Appel was recently elected president of the Republican Woman's Club of Richmond.

Virginia Kirk Weeden is active in the AAUW in Syracuse. She and eight others organized a study group called "Varied Interest" which now has 34 members and is the largest in the branch.

Martha Riis Moore and her twin daughters visited Dot Harrison Enslow for several days in August. Dot is taking lessons in water color and is doing wonders. Martha tells me that Dot has been asked to exhibit one of her pictures.

Virginia Burfoot writes that she received her Masters Degree in Dietetics at Purdue University in 1953, and then worked for six months in a hospital in Indianapolis. At the time for her letter she was in California expecting to go to Japan. Since then I have heard, unofficially, that she is now teaching in Yokohama.

Lucie Blackwell Alexander visited Sue Bonnet Chermiside while vacationing this summer. Sue and her husband and two oldest children went on a camping trip to Maine. They stopped in Baldwin, Maryland for a short visit with Dot Enslow.

Judith Hodges Schulte has three children in school. Her youngest, Harold, Jr., entered the first grade this past September.

Alice Pugh Bartz was in Richmond during August. Lou White Winfrey had several from our class in for lunch while Alice was here.

Can you believe that our baby cup winner is now a freshman in high school. Maysville Jane Page entered TJ this fall. Incidentally, Boo and Sidney Page attended the American Medical Association convention in San Francisco during the

summer. From there they toured the Canadian Rockies, visiting Lake Louise and Banff.

1937 Secretary
MISS ELIZABETH ANGLE
 521 N. Belmont Ave., Richmond, Virginia

Our class memorial to Lelia Myers Anderson was presented last June at Westhampton's Fortieth Anniversary celebration. Your committee, headed by Jane Lawder Johnston, chose a lovely sedate memorial and one heartily approved by the school's authorities—two granite benches with the following inscription:

In Memory of
LELIA MYERS ANDERSON
 Class of 1937

The benches have been appropriately placed by the walkway heading to the Blue Room and the old dorm—the part of the college we remember most dearly. Jane and I visited Lelia's mother last spring to tell her of the class plans and later this summer accompanied her to the college. Mrs. Anderson was deeply touched and asked me to express to each of you the appreciation that she and the other members of the family feel.

Other news—Two of us trekked back to school this past summer. My office (Federal Reserve Bank) sent me to the Survey Research Center at University of Michigan for a course in Statistical Sampling Techniques. It was a wonderful experience and I enjoyed every minute of it. While in

Michigan, I took a vacation to Mackinac Island. And Jane Carroll Slusser decided while husband Tom was taking a summer course at Penn State she would take an art class at R.P.I. As you know Jane is now teaching in Pensacola, Florida, and next year Tom will also be teaching. He has resigned as sports director at the TV station there.

While Jane was vacationing in Virginia, Jean Hudson Miller, husband Ed, and their four children toured Florida. Margaret Mitchell Meador and her family spent most of the summer at their place at Bowler's Wharf. Peggy Louthan Shepherd also spent her summer on the river. Dick opened a branch drug store at Haynes Store (near the Gloucester end of the Gloucester-Yorktown bridge) and in early June, Peggy, Dick, and the three children moved into their new home on the York River.

Virginia Lee Priddy was elected president of the Richmond Baptist Business Women's Federation for a two-year term—1954 and 1955. Another member of our class to distinguish herself is Louise Thompson Chewning who is chairman of the Junior Board of the Virginia Home for Incurables.

1939 Secretary
MRS. A. L. JACOBS (Scotty Campbell)
 807 Henri Road, Richmond, Virginia

We have two new babies. Hunter and Elizabeth Ashbrooke Jackson have a new son, Scott Hardwicke Jackson. Scott has just come home from the hospital and is doing fine.

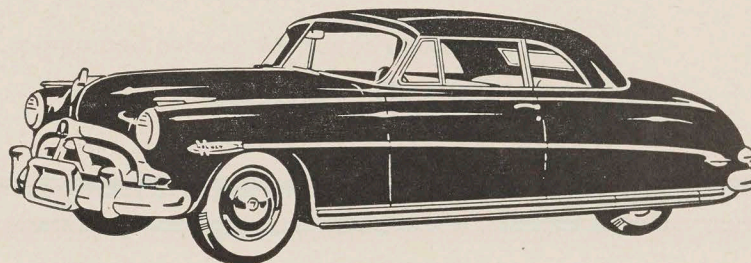
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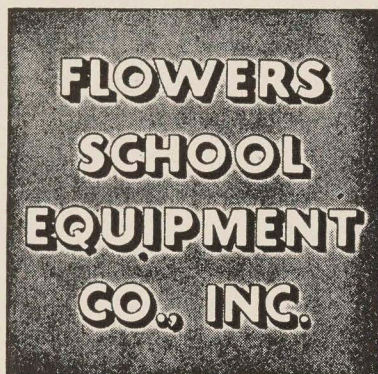
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Lois Lyle Mercer and her husband, Howard, have adopted a little girl, Katherine Haynes Mercer. Kathy is nine months old now and Lois and Howard have had her for six months. Congratulations to both families!

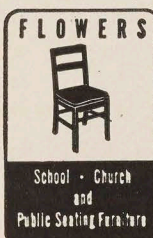
Rosalie Oakes is now director of YWCA at the University of Texas in Austin, Texas.

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We had several letters from Jessie McElroy Junkin. She and Bill are now missionaries in Formosa. In her last letter she told of the wonderful Easter holidays she had, traveling with Bill and her four children all over the island. She says there are many problems there, greater than she has ever encountered. In these unsettled times, with the news so often threatening, our prayers and thoughts are often with them.

Please, please send in some news.

1940 Secretary

MRS. EMMET K. REID (Jane Davenport)
1121 Floyd Avenue, Richmond, Virginia

This Spring, 1955, will be our 15th anniversary. If anyone has any festive ideas, please call me at 4-2811. If we have half as much fun as we did in 1950, it will be wonderful!

Your correspondent of the last several years, Doris Hargrove Kibler, did a wonderful job as secretary. I am sure you were all glad to get your list of names and addresses which Doris mailed out in the Spring. Already there are several changes of address. Please keep me posted on new ones.

Lucy Baird now lives at 2622 Idlewood Avenue, phone 6-9263, where she and two other girls have the second floor of a very nice house. Here Lucy is using some of the furniture she has done over in the courtyard at my house with lots of advice from me, Emmet, Kendall and Fontaine.

Lucy Sisson Higgins writes that she is now at Rt. 2, Fort Myers, Florida and lives in the middle of an orange grove about 5 miles from Ft. Myers.

I talked to Margaret Ligon Bernhart's mother, who said that Wesley has gone into general practice in Annandale. They live about two miles from Annandale, address Rt. 3, Box 272M, Alexandria, Virginia.

Janet Gresham Manson's second little girl, Ellen Lynn, is in kindergarten and is finding it a delightful experience, especially since her older sister goes to Mary Munford too.

Harriet Yeamans Mercer and her husband have

plans to build a home in Westover Hills here in Richmond.

When the members of the Board of the AAUW planned to give a tea for prospective members, they were offered the use of Doris Hargrove Kibler's house in Windsor Farms, which is lovely. The tea was very successful.

A friend of mine who visited Charlotte Ann Dickinson Moore in September says that Charlotte Ann has a lovely home and her three children are adorable. Susan, age five, is going to kindergarten and is "Quite a grown-up young lady."

Helen Smith Moss is very busy these days. She recently moved into her new home at 618 Henri Road here in Richmond. Helen's mother received a master's degree in psychology from Hunter College, New York and there was an interesting story in the Richmond paper about Mrs. Smith, her degree and her proposed trip to Europe. When I talked to Helen, her mother had just returned after three months abroad. She brought a beautiful hand made christening dress from Brussels for Helen's young baby, Jane Shelton. Jane was born in April, the third little girl for Helen and Clint.

You may address Elsie Mattingly Dickinson as "Madame President" this year. She is president of the local Westhampton Alumnae Group and hopes that all you '40s in Richmond will attend the meetings.

With my two in school, Kendall in fourth grade and Fontaine in nursery school, I have a large job this year. I am president of the Woman's Club of the Medical College of Virginia, which is made up of the wives of the faculty, and wives of the doctors who teach at MCV. I qualify as faculty, since Emmet teaches in the School of Hospital Administration. He is also an Assistant Administrator of MCVH.

Marie Keyser Jordan and John have gone, with the two children, to England and France for a year's work in research. By next report, I hope to have some news of them from Marie's mother, who lives here in Richmond.

1941 Secretary

MISS EVELYN V. COSBY
Bon Air, Virginia

I wish to thank you for your contributions to the Alumnae Fund. We came from near the bottom to rank 9th in the amount contributed. Congratulations.

Garland and Anne Boehling Bowles are the proud parents of a daughter, Margaret Anne, born in the Spring.

Frederick Currier Ellwanger, son of Henrietta Sadler and Albert Ellwanger was born on April 30th and weighed 8 lb. 1 oz.

There was a wonderful article in the *Times-Dispatch* of June 20 about Kitty and Robert Howard Lindsay and the work they are doing in New York.

Mary Owen Bass is the new president of the Richmond Branch, American Association of University Women, and under her leadership they were hostess to the AAUW South Atlantic Regional Convention the later part of June. Mary is also serving on the Juvenile Delinquent Commission for the State at the request of Governor Stanley and enjoying every minute of it.

Patsy Garrett was guest star on the third Carillon Concert this Summer.

Betsy Epes Hardy returned on June 29 from a six weeks' trip to Europe. Together with her mother and sister, she sailed on the *Queen Elizabeth* on May 19 and visited France, Italy, Switzerland, Holland, Belgium, Germany and England.

Ada Land is teaching at the new Douglas Freeman School this year.

Anna Rue Stringfellow is Vice-President of the Culpeper AAUW this year.

Martha Beam DeVos' husband, Francis, spoke to the State Garden Group at V.P.I. this summer.

Elizabeth Evans Hardin has another daughter, her third, who was born in August.

Alese Hardaway Prince and daughter, Molly, visited the Whittets recently and the children had a wonderful time playing while the mothers caught up on the news. When in Chicago this summer David Prince called Sarajane Payne and George Arkedis. George is employed by CBS

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studios and does a lot of traveling, and Sarajane accompanies him on many of his trips.

The Whittets entertained this summer for Marie and John Jordan who were on their way to England and France where they will be for some time working for the Ford Foundation. "Toni" is room mother for Robert's class at school and is also serving as Chairman of Student Relations for the Richmond Chapter of the Alumnae Association. The Whittet family spent four days in New York this summer as guest of their grandparents.

I was glad to see so many of you in June. There were eleven of us present at the Luncheon.

Taking a late vacation this year, I spent the third week in August in Arlington and Washington visiting friends and the next week at home helping my bother prepare to return to Bluefield College.

1942 Secretary
MRS. R. R. CRUTCHFIELD
(Kay Gillelan)
Box 40A-1, Birdneck Road
Virginia Beach, Va.

In July I received a note from Betty Ann Petzinger Shackelford saying that she and Shack had adopted a son—George Hill Shackelford, Jr., born Feb. 19, 1954. They are naturally thrilled with their boy and consider themselves very fortunate and happy with this addition to their daughter, Lisa, who is four now. They have found Houston full of old friends as well as new. They are part of a group known as the Spiders' Bridge and Chowder Club—Bruce and Betty Van Buskirk (Betty Conrey, '39) and Margaret Curley Balsch are the other Richmondites. Betty and Shack were in Norfolk during the late summer.

Wendy and B. G. Cline were down for a week end visit with us in July. We all got together one evening with Caroline (Babb, '43) and Bill Heflin. Wendy and B. G. recently moved into a darling new house in Alexandria—5 Beech Tree Drive—so it had been a busy time for them getting settled.

Anne and Harvey Patterson (Anne Frank) took a wonderful camping trip in the mountains through the western part of the state this summer. They took the children with them and Anne said they made out beautifully and had a grand time.

I spoke with Jimmie Franklin Radd this morning. She is fine—said she has been kept busy with four year old Anthony.

My summer was brought to a very happy and complete climax with a wonderful trip in August. For once the Navy came in very conveniently. Bob was on the Midshipman Cruise and I met him in Havana when the ships stopped there. I spent two days in Key West visiting en route and took the plane from there. We lived a really gay life at the Hotel Nacional and took in all the sights and spots of Havana and surrounding Cuban countryside, which is beautiful. Even the weather was good to us—and I came home by boat (no hurricanes). It was really fun and, while I adore our girls, the best part of all was the two weeks freedom I had from the constant "No," "Don't," and "Stop." Mother took them for us!

Frances Badenoch received her Master of Science in Education from the University of Southern California on June 12, 1954.

Let me hear from you girls who have been silent for so long. Let's try to have some word from everyone this year!

1943 Secretary
MRS. W. D. MOORE (Anne Byrd Tucker)
Coats, North Carolina

Pamela Carpenter Henry writes from Barnesville, Georgia, "Life is richly domestic for me. From November to March I was full time office assistant and secretary for George until he could locate someone. It was a happy surprise to see Carolyn Heflin come into our drive recently with her beautiful children. She can truly tell you about the Henry litter (speaking of children) and clutter."

A note from Rose Koltukian Wallace announced the addition to their family of a boy—Kevin, born July 14. That makes two boys for the Wallaces.

Evelyn Allen Krause's regular letter from Richmond brought the sad news of the illness and

death of her father this summer, and of their moving to a new home on Route 8, Richmond.

Bob and Pepper Gardner Hathaway recently returned from a vacation in Georgia. Earlier the entire family (four children) spent a week at Ridgecrest with Pepper's family—that station wagon of theirs must certainly come in handy!

Carolyn Babb Heflin and children paid a visit to the Hathaways too. Carolyn has been elected president of the Tidewater Alumnae Club.

Louise and Cliff Long vacationed in New York, Connecticut and Virginia Beach this summer. Louise was elected Junior Vice President of the Virginia Federation of Women's Clubs for the coming year.

Congratulations to Maxine and Robert Rogers on the birth of a son, Alan Williams, on June 25. Maxine says that Carol is quite pleased with her little brother.

Dolly Dorsey Garwood and Dave were in Richmond this summer. Dave has decided to stay in the Air Corps and their next home will be Washington state. Dolly says they had a grand time in Germany and saw quite a bit of the rest of Europe.

June Hargrove and George Cornwall were married on August 14. They are now living at 1 Malvern Avenue, Richmond.

Other vacationers who "reported in" are Virginia Delp Ogg and family who spent theirs along the Potomac.

The Moores had a week's vacation at Topsail Beach in July and nearly got blown away in a tornado! In October they plan to join the North Carolina Academy of General Practice on a cruise to Cuba and Nassau. With all four children it should be quite a trip!

Do remember to write and share your news with us.

1944 Secretary
MRS. ROBERT COTTEN (Ruth Van Ness)
214 Slade Run Drive, Falls Church, Va.

This is my first attempt at gathering news of the activities of the members of the Class of '44.

My efforts have been further complicated by the fact that Bob and I have recently moved to our new home and the post office department has apparently not yet caught up with us. Nevertheless, I have reports from six members of the class.

Jinx Thompson Paarfus informs me that she has spent the summer luxuriating at her parents'

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home in Stuart, Virginia. Devoted most of her time to swimming, fishing and water-skiing. Fat life!

Emily Hensley Weick is doing top secret work for DuPont. Her husband is also employed there as an industrial engineer. Congratulations are due them for their first wedding anniversary on September 12.

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In West Richmond

Ann Burcher Stansbury has moved back to Roanoke and is living across the street from a field full of ponies. Said she hated to give up her peaceful small town life. Ann also sends word that Mimi Hill Boynton had a son, Allen Christian, who was born on June 9.

Dee Dee Howe Kirk writes to say that she has no news except that Millie and Skee Goode recently became unofficial ambassadors to Canada, staying at Mont Tremblons, no less; except that Dot Darracott Duarte and her husband are in Miami; except that Mary and Billy Graham are vacationing in a small town in Georgia; and except that Bruce is now over the colic.

As most of you no doubt know, the Class of '44 sent flowers to Miss Lough who was hospitalized for approximately six weeks. We are glad to hear that she is now recovering.

Rita Copley recently bought a nice roomy house in a pleasant little town about 20 miles from Buffalo. Her address is 789 E. Fillmore Avenue, East Aurora, New York.

I also learned the distressing news that Evermond has suffered an acute attack of arthritis in her right knee. I understand that she has been hospitalized, but that she is now recuperating. Best of luck to her!

A long letter from Dot Monroe Hill has just come. She seems to have been conducting her private alumnae meetings on the side. Witness her visitors during the summer: Lucy Garnett Lacy and her husband, who were vacationing at Virginia Beach; Fran Kennard Wolf and her husband, who is now stationed in Norfolk, address 6141 Silvan Street, Norfolk; Mollie Warner, who visited for five days, beaching, etc.; Lois Hester, who is now back in Galesburg. Dot apologizes for not writing a longer letter, but said she had to run because she had guests coming. I am sure Dot would be glad to put you up if you want to take a vacation near Virginia Beach. You might let her know in advance if you wish, but it really isn't necessary.

My address now is 214 Slade Run Drive, Falls Church, Virginia. Please keep me filled in on all of your activities.

1945 Secretary

MRS. JOHN W. PAULSON

(Mary Carter Campbell)

239 Shoe Lane, Warwick, Virginia.

Believe it or not, it will have been a decade come June since we were all together. By all means let everyone make plans to attend our Reunion. Lillian Belk Youell is heading a committee of Richmond girls to plan a gala time for us. Plans will be forthcoming, so line up those vacation dates now. Lillian is planning to include our husbands and beaux at our gatherings, so bring them too.

Speaking of Lillian, she will teach at Short Pump School this year. Mac will finish his last year of law at T. C. Williams and both boys will be in Nursery School while Mama teaches.

Liz Parker Cone and Howard attended the Tobacco Convention at the Greenbrier for three days and then went to Virginia Beach for a couple of days. The rest of the summer was spent nursing the family through measles.

Ruth Latimer reports a change of address—1207 Maywood Road, Richmond 26. She and another girl are buying a house.

A card from Connie Sutton in Massachusetts said she was enjoying fishing and loafing with friends at their summer place on Lake Boon.

Martha Clopton Jones has moved to 610 Hartford Street, Raleigh, N. C. They moved into their new home August first.

I know everyone will be sorry to hear that Libby Kibler Keihn lost her father in July and that Micky Gulick lost her mother recently. Our deepest sympathy to you both.

Micky is teaching Physical Ed. at Warrenton, so Allie Houghton Lumpkin wrote. The award for the most prompt reply goes to Allie. She says that Girl Scouts, PTA, civic meetings and recreation committees take up whatever time is left over from her household duties. Her daughter, Pat, is 10 years old and a Girl Scout. Mike is eight and he will start the third grade this year.

Jackie Batten Culpeper wrote quite a newsy letter reporting the birth of her third child, James Steven, on September 9, 1953. Her oldest boy, Wayne, starts school this year and Jackie Kay is three. They all enjoyed a vacation at Nags Head in July. Jackie manages to take part in Church work, Woman's Club and Alumnae Club work.

Anne Glazebrook Tompkins had just returned from a wonderful two weeks on the Rappahannock River when she wrote. Her oldest child, Jimmy, is starting school and Nancy is now 16 months old. Anne said Mary Ellen Tucker Lowery was home in Richmond during July. She also said that she heard that Wanda and Warren Pace have moved back to Richmond. Anybody know the address?

Audrey Grubin Fixell sent a wonderful long letter. She and Les are enjoying living in a young and growing community. Both are active civically and politically. Their children are Douglas who is 4½ and Danny who is 27 months. They had a grand vacation in Canada.

Ann Seay Jackson wrote that they had been to several regattas this summer and spent a long week end in New York crowded with plays, baseball and night clubs.

Nancy Lazenby Stables was awaiting orders in August, as Linton has decided to stay in the Army three more years. Her two-year old son, Lin, fell down the steps and broke his nose but is fine now. Jeffrey is as happy as any six-month old could be.

Nancy said she ran into Jean Motter in June and met her fiancé—an Army Captain. They were to be married this summer. Best wishes for much happiness, Jean.

There are three babies to announce. Congratulations to Alma Rosenbaum Hurwitz on the birth of a second daughter, Julia Lea, on July 21st; to Ruth Anne Wicker Lynch on a second son, Robert Day, born January 12th; to Libby Kibler Keihn on a daughter, Mary Susan, born June 24th.

Betty Dupuy Adams paid my mother a surprise visit in the summer. She and her husband were at Big Meadows on the Skyline Drive following an insurance convention. Betty has two children now and her parents are living in Charlottesville, so with handy sitters I hope she and all of you can make the Reunion.

This about wraps up this letter. My own news is of a pleasant summer spent here trying to get some flowers to grow in poor, sandy, dry soil. If any of you have found a solution to such a problem let me know please. Thanks again for your letters. Keep them coming for without them my job is impossible and I'm not like the repair company that advertised, "The difficult we do immediately, the impossible takes a little longer."

1946 Secretary

MRS. D. J. HOWARD, JR. (Alta Ayers)

2990 Losantiridge Ave., Cincinnati 13, Ohio

I've had two letters from Mary Frances Bethel Wood. She and Buddy have rented a house—hoping to move by October. She says having a yard for Cathy and a place where noise won't matter will be dreamy. They were leaving the last of September for a vacation in Richmond and Chapel Hill.

Jeanne Yeamans and Lelia Phillips went to Europe this summer, visiting London, Edinburgh, Naples, Rome and Switzerland, among other places.

Ding Lambeth Shotwell and Ralph have bought a house in Westham—7716 Rock Creek Road, Richmond 26. Their house has a dining area at one end of the living room, a utility room and a study for Ralph. Ralph is acting as interim pastor at the Chamberlayne Baptist Chapel in addition to his regular University job.

Barbara Ritchie Branch, David and son, Ware, have moved to a house on Moody Avenue in Richmond.

Virginia Gibson Stewart and Frank have just completed their new home, but we haven't the address.

Pat Husbands Berton's new address is 2035 S. Horne Street, Oceanside, California. Bill is stationed at the Camp Pendleton Naval Hospital there for his Navy duty. They've rented a three bedroom ranch style house with a fenced-in backyard. Out back they have all kinds of citrus trees, nec-

tarine, apricot, peach, fig and avocado trees. Pat visited her parents for four weeks while Bill found the house and during that time her brother returned from Indochina. He's probably out of the Air Force by now.

Dowell, the children and I vacationed in Virginia in July and then, since Dowell had a business trip to Dallas, Texas for two weeks of August, D. J., Susan and I again went home to bask in the sun. We saw Cora Lynn Chaffee Goldsborough and husband, Henry, both of whom stay busy with their respective jobs and housekeeping. Frances Anne Beale Goode and her husband, David—and I visited Joyce Eubank Todd in her attractive apartment in Richmond. Howe works for the city, as you may know. Joyce, being Nancy Todd Lewis' sister-in-law, sees Nancy frequently. In fact, the Todd family was leaving for Nag's Head just after I saw Joyce. Nancy, so I heard, has taken up golf.

That's all the news—write when you can.

1947 Secretary

MISS ISABEL AMMERMAN
906 Park Avenue, Richmond, Va.

It seems that most of our news this time is giving new addresses. You '47'ers are the movingest people!

Dottie Hughes Freitag and Dean have moved again, but this time stayed in the same town—Vicksburg, Mississippi. They are now living at W.E.S. Apt. 19E. Dean has been doing a lot of traveling in his new job—California, Greenland, etc.

Peggy Hawthorne Charlton, Charles and the two boys moved back this summer to Bremono Bluff, Virginia.

Pat Guild Robertson and family have moved into their new house—Rt. No. 2, Box K27, Princess Anne, Va.

Marie Walthall LeSieur and Claude have bought a new house in Pittsburgh, Pa. Marie, what is your new address? Another person who has moved but who hasn't reported her new address is Ollie Menefee Stirling. Hank was to leave for duty in the Far East in September and Ollie and the three children were planning to live in California.

Betty O'Brien was married in Dunn, N. C., August 7 to Captain Joseph J. Yeats, Jr. They are now living in Ft. Knox, Kentucky. Those of '47 who were at the wedding were Mimi Daffron Horigan, Marie Walthall LeSieur (matron of honor), Ollie Menefee Stirling and yours truly.

Marion Huske Moomaw and Ed have a little girl, Susan Huske, born June 1.

Jean Waldrop has a new job. She is now a probation clerk for the Juvenile and Domestic Relations Court here in Richmond.

Betty Tinsley Andrews and Dick took a trip through Canada this summer. While at Niagara Falls Betty ran into Ann Higgins Borger and Dan. Ann and Dan are now living in Tabb, Va.

Please, write your group leaders so the next letter will have news of *everyone* in '47.

1948 Secretary

MRS. JACK B. WILBOURNE (Sarah Bishop)
415 Maycox Street, Petersburg, Virginia

Pause a minute in your busy fall schedule to realize that our special second generation entered public school this fall. Peggy Schaeffer, our Baby Cup girl, entered Primary I in a Richmond School. As Peggy's mother, Arlene (Reynolds), was busy teaching the alphabet, several other of our girls were starting with the brand-new routine of diapers and formula.

Florence (Goodman) and Hank Weber have a lovely daughter, Nancy Susan, born May 10.

Frances (Orrell) and Bob Dunn became parents June 14, with the arrival of Andrew Orrell.

Betty (Hickerson) and Jack Butterworth welcomed John Fauntleroy IV, June 28.

We had news from Ann (McKee) Coulbourn. She, Joe and their son are living at 5635 Auburn Rd., Jacksonville, Florida and are enthusiasts for life in the sunshine state.

Sally Taylor was married to William Thompson DuBose, September 15, in Amelia. They're at home now in Laurel Hill, North Carolina where Bill is a Presbyterian pastor.

Emily (Dietrick) and Troy Burklow have moved into their new home at 114 Briar Road, Oak Ridge, Tennessee.

Wilma Lum's six weeks in Europe must have been fabulous. She saw London Bridge, Stratford-on-the-Avon; shopped in Belgium; saw all the Dutch landmarks; had an audience with the Pope; found the landscape of Switzerland enchanting; was very impressed with the rebuilding in Germany; and at the very last of the tour found Paris as warm, gay and beautiful as all the books and songs say. Wilma says she plans to return as soon as possible.

Monty (Elliott) Ownby is in Baltimore with Ralph now. They're living at 4411 Greenway, Baltimore 18, Md., while he's a resident pediatrician at Johns Hopkins.

Ginna Herndon had an enjoyable vacation visiting many classmates, Betty Butterworth, Emily Powers, Doris Ennis, Jackie Jeter, and while teaching at Massanetta saw Lily Brittle Hepler and her little girl.

Anne (Bruner) and Tommy Woo are now living near St. Charles, Virginia, where Tommy is mission pastor for the George Braxton Taylor Goodwill Center and the Benedict Goodwill Center. St. Charles is in the heart of Virginia's coal mining district and incidentally near my birthplace. They have a busy life with the many activities in several of the adjacent coal camp communities, and are quite happy. Little Carolyn has a waving acquaintance with all the trainmen who bring the coal out of the mines. Their address is Rt. 1, Box 87, St. Charles.

Mary Jane Snead, Janice McCoy, Pam Gray and I have enjoyed visiting and letting all the children become friends. It's a lot of fun and we enjoy the chance to chat. By the way, the Wilbournes have moved into a house at 415 Maycox St., Petersburg. I'll try to stay here long enough for all of you to write and maybe visit.

1949 Secretary

MRS. JACK A. LAWSON (Cynthia Patrick)
1701 East 44th Street, Richmond 24, Va.

From all reports no one was directly affected by hurricanes Carol and Edna, which raged the eastern coast in September. Jack's father has a deep sea trawler which was battle worn by "Carol" in the port of New Bedford, Mass. His boat, a 120 ft. fishing trawler was swept ashore by a Tidal Wave and left high and dry in the city park. Now the problem is, how to get her back in the water.

Most all of us seem to have spent a grand summer and are ready to settle down once again. Won't Abie Bradford (Saupé) have a lot to tell her school children! Her summer was brimming full of wedding preparations, then the long awaited day, July 11, at 4:30 P.M., a honeymoon trip to Sea Island and finally settling down to the task of becoming a home-maker. Audrey's address is 3906 Stuart Ave., Richmond, Va.

Beth (Wilburn) and Ray Hooker proudly announce the birth of their son David Cheatham Hooker, August 13.

Betty (Evans) and James Hopkins announce the arrival of their first son James Gregory. He was born August 13.

Deborah Ann Forrest greeted her parents, Barbara (Rodewald) and Dave Forrest on July 29.

In the last BULLETIN we mentioned that Joyce (Roberson) Goforth and Frosty had a son, but we knew no details. Now we can give a complete report. Christopher Scott Goforth was born May 18.

Ben and Lou (Winn) McCutcheon have a son, William Benson III, who arrived on August 4.

As a group leader Elaine (Leonard) Davis had lots to add to the BULLETIN. She learned that Dave and Barbara (Rodewald) Forrest are moving to Richmond. Dave has finished his residency in Obstetrics and Gynecology in Detroit and is planning to set up an office in Richmond. Bobbie's mother will keep the two children in New Jersey until she and Dave find a place to live.

Olive (Trader) Dailey is now living in Reedsville, Va. and finds it most friendly and sociable. Martel is in General Practice there and has been appointed the Marine Doctor for that section,

which is quite an honor. They have two children, Charles Martel Dailey, Jr., born July 31, 1953 and Jean Burnette who was born July 16, 1954. Olive declares that she isn't trying to set a record. Olive and Martel have bought an old home and have loved remodeling it.

Elaine also received a long letter from Betty (Yates) Dick. Fred has completed his residency in Internal Medicine and now the Dick family is in the process of moving from Baltimore to Statesville, N. C. They regret leaving their native state, but found Statesville most receptive. They have bought a small brick home and Fred is building his office. Her two children are named Kathy and Bill and now Betty is involved with two sets of tonsils that must be "yanked." Their address is 354 Bost St., Statesville, N. C.

Harry and Kit (Van der Shalie) Pedersen came south for their vacation this summer. They came to Richmond where Kit hoped to see some of her classmates.

The teaching profession will be well represented again this fall. Ann Morano and Harriet Smith will be at Hermitage High School. Transportation will be no problem for Ann now that she has a shiny new Ford. Peggy Hassel is back at the blackboard after having a course in summer school. She took a class in World Geography at R.P.I., which she thoroughly enjoyed.

Elaine (Leonard) Davis has decided not to teach this year, extending all of her efforts instead toward her new home.

Ann (Wilson) Bryant is planning to take two more courses at the Presbyterian Training School where she is working towards her master's degree.

We welcome Julie Moller back to Richmond. She is at the Medical College of Va., where she is a resident in Internal Medicine.

Dot (Richwine) Korb received a change of address for Pat (Allen) Winters. She is now living in Washington, D. C. at 3255 23rd St., Apt. 13, S.E.

Bobbie (Rhodes) Barker and Bill are back in Danville, living in the same apartment house as Kitty (Wyatt) Townes at 885 Grove St. Bill is building an animal hospital which he hopes to have open by Oct. 15. Ann (Rice) White and "Peanuts" stopped to see her (Bobbie) during the summer.

Bert (McCullough) Palmer has moved to Salisbury, Md. May we have that new address, Bert?

Rosie (Calhoun) McCarty has a new address—209 Alleghany St., Christiansburg, Va. To quote Rosie, "We finally found a house."

Bob and Jane (Dens) McManigal are now living in Westfield, New Jersey, which I am sure delights Densie. They bought a new home at 633 Coleman Place. Bob has changed his job and is working for Insulation Materials, Inc. It is still sales work, and he will have all of the north and central New Jersey as his territory.

By the way, we have lost some of our classmates. Where are you, Sally Springer Donohue? And what is your address, Marilyn Michener Anthony? Another couple on the move is Stuart and Jean (Moody) Vincent. Stuart has been discharged from the army and has resumed his work with the Telephone Company. His work will require him to stay in North Carolina until the first of the year. Then he hopes to settle in Emporia. Moot is delighted to be back in a warmer climate.

Jean (Harper) Sellars and family have made quite a move. They are now living in Fayetteville, Arkansas. The Aetna Insurance Co., transferred Allen there.

Dan and Hazel (Jennings) Walker are now in Santa Ana, California. He is a Captain in the Marine Corps. They recently enjoyed six months in Hawaii, where Dan was taking jet flight training.

Nancy (Berry) Hulcher reports that her day is consumed by her two little ones, Dickie, three and Billy, one. Ann Morano went to see Jessica (Niblett) Miller this summer and came back with glowing reports of her darling home and family. Caroline (Lynn) Doyle wrote of her new six room house. She said she had great fun buying new furniture for it. Caroline was quite pleased with the success of her garden which yielded snaps, tomatoes, and lima beans.

Dot (Richwine) Korbs' summer was not spent with raising a garden, but with rearing her three little ones. She and the family did enjoy a ten day vacation at the beach.

Randy (Mann) Ellis had a more elaborate vacation. Her husband Dick passed his specialty board exams in Ophthalmology this summer. He took the exams in San Francisco, so Dick and Randy made a vacation out of it after the exams were over. They visited San Francisco, Los Angeles, and Las Vegas. After getting home, they busied themselves with setting up Dick's office. Randy says that her girls 4½, 3, 1½ are a handful and especially good when they are asleep.

Martha Hall went on a cruise to Bermuda this summer and had a wonderful time. She also attended a Welfare convention at the Chamberlin Hotel, Old Point Comfort, Va. this past spring. While there Martha spent some time with Ida (Eanes) Patrick.

To bring you up to date on Bill and Peggy (Harris) Barnett, we hear that Bill is working on his Ph.D. at N. C. State.

Bev (Stahl) and Bob Sponangle had a daughter, Karen Louise, who was born July 15. Their son Kirk is now 29 months old. Bev and Bob have a home in Hershey, Pa., but Bob's contracting business takes him to Harrisburg.

Jimmy and Peg (Reynolds) Nolan are living in Cranford, New Jersey. Rennie is working for the Air Reduction Co., Inc., doing secretarial work.

Mitzi (Verra) and Jack Williams proudly present a daughter, Lisa, born July 31, as a prospect for the class of '71.

Alda (Marlin) Noftsinger announces that her daughter Leslie Marlin will be a classmate of Lisa's. Leslie was born on August 3.

Jane (Ferris) Borden had a baby brother for her son Hatcher. He is Robert Christopher, born on June 7.

Helen McDonough Kelly's second daughter was born on June 2. Her name is Marie Alexandra and they call her Alex.

Diane (Brown) Mogul had a son who was born in June.

Barbara (Belk) Tinsley had a little girl—Mary Blanton—about six months ago.

Sallie (Van Dyck) Wood's son, James Arthur Wood III was born on August 12. Her first child Betsy is now two years old.

Flo (Gray) Tullidge reports that she spent her summer in Staunton while Tommy commuted to the University of Virginia for summer school. They did get away over Labor Day for a trip to Nags Head with Elmon and Pam Gray.

Betty Ann (Allen) Doub is still with the personnel department of State-Planters Bank and Trust Co. She and Bill have become real fishermen down at the river this summer with Betty Ann now having over a hundred fish to her credit.

Martha Kenny plans to return to the Virgin Islands this year. She teaches the sixth through the ninth grades, but only has ten or twelve pupils. She lives in a bright pink cottage which overlooks the town and harbor of St. Thomas. The white colony is small enough to know everyone quite well, so there are many parties. Martha says that the number one attraction for her is the

year around beach life. She is a hopeless beach-comber with "island fever," so badly, in fact, that she spent most of her summer on an island between Charleston and Savannah. Her address is Antilles School, St. Thomas, V. I. (regular U.S.A. postage).

Hathaway had a card from Mary Lusby who vacationed in California where she saw Cary Walker who has two children now. Marilyn (Alexander) Kubu reports that she and Ed are active in a Little Theatre group in Northville, Ohio. They hope to get home in November when Ed will give a paper at a meeting in Washington, D. C.

Jean (Meyer) Kluger had a wonderful trip to Colorado Springs for the Jaycee convention, and she is already planning to attend next year's convention. Her daughter Jerri has started school and is taking dancing lessons.

Mag (Knapp) Howe, Joe and Joby are now in Norfolk—6011 E. Seawall's Point Rd. Joe is working for a Richmond Construction Co. doing a job in Norfolk. They like it so well they are hoping to stay down there. Their home is eight blocks from Ann (Rice) White and the two get together often.

I believe that just about winds up all of the news from you girls, except that Rosie sent me copies of the snapshots she took during reunion week end. I have put them in the scrapbook and we do thank you, Rosie.

Several of you have sent in your dollar for dues. I thank you. At the reunion in June it was suggested by Hathaway that each girl send in a dollar to cover any expense the secretary might have and to set aside for the next reunion. We all agreed this was a good idea and voted to that effect.

Peg Barnett wrote me soon after the reunion and suggested that we have another reunion before our tenth. I mentioned this to the group leaders and got quite a response. Most of the girls felt it should not be done since the whole Alumnae Association follows the five year plan and we should not deviate from their policy. But Flo came through with a good idea. How about a planned get-together right in the middle, say in two and a half years, some time in the fall? Would Homecoming week end be a good time? That would make it in the fall of '56. So many people come back for Homecomings and never get to see each other. What would you think of having a breakfast or luncheon the day of the game and then if possible all of us plan to get tickets near each other? Let me know what you think so that we can make plans accordingly.

I'll let you know in the next BULLETIN the response of the class as a whole to this idea.

Keep flooding me with news, I love it.

1950 Secretary
PEGGY WELLS
214 West 30th Street, Richmond, Virginia

Hey There! It's later than you think. Five years in fact. It seems hard to realize that next June is our year to howl. Hope you'll all start making plans now to attend our 5th reunion. If any of you have suggestions to help make this a really

"knocked-out" affair, just drop Piggy a line.

Walking on the proverbial pink cloud is Doris Lee Reeves who became engaged in August to Earl Childress, Jr. They plan to be married in Falls Church on November 27.

From Ann Dorsey we hear that a fine baby boy, John C., III, is now a permanent member of the family of Sue Peck House, and John. He was born April 18. Fourth of July wasn't the only thing celebrated in the Holloway household, because the day before Mokey Rounds and Walter had a son, Walter Richard, Jr. (Ricky). Kathy Krause and Lindy Keeney are proud parents of a second son, Robert, born in August.

Betty Sims Loving and Robert had a boy, John, born in June.

Dot Warner Gardner is rapidly demolishing Dr. Gregory's statistics about Westhampton graduates having only 1.4 children. Dot and Doc had their third child, Pearce Foster, on August 19.

Kitty Rosenberg Garber and John have a second prospective football player for the U. of R., Donald Payne born August 26. That week was a busy one for the Garbers as they moved into their new home in the west end of Richmond.

Although it seems that the boys have it this time, Libby Rowse Wilson and Bob came through to save the day when on August 31, a 9 pound baby girl, Elizabeth, was born.

The Class of '50 has gone on a house buying spree. Pat Kelly Jordon and Alex bought a new home in the west end. Other new home owners in Richmond are Joyce Betts Pierce and Jack; Jean Hart Joyner and Talmadge; and Emma Tilman Kay and Leslie.

Dee Haskins Brawley and Bolling are excited and busy making plans to build on the lot they have bought in Wilmington, Delaware. Charlotte Westvelt Bispham and her husband are also in Wilmington where they have recently purchased a new home. Louise Cheatham Chandler and Bruce have bought a house outside of Orange, Virginia where Bruce is now principal of a school.

Sue Huff is going to study art in New York City this fall. Let us know when you have your one man show, Sue.

You can tell by the sparkle in Betty Finney Tuttle's eyes that Arthur is back from Korea. They are moving to N. J. where Arthur will complete his Master of Fine Arts in architecture at Princeton.

From an article in a New York paper, Lee Davis Head is following through in a grand style with her knowledge in puppetry that she gained at Westhampton. She and her husband have been very successful as a team in television with their puppets.

After a busy summer in school, Fran Chandler writes that she is returning to Pocahontas, W. Va. to teach.

Judy Lending Myers and her husband are still living in Mobile, Alabama where Judy is an office manager and bookkeeper for a restaurant there. To quote her—"Everything is fine as long as they don't send me down to the kitchen to start cooking. A far cry from Political Science, but since I'm not cut out for domesticity, I enjoy running a hash house."

Ludie Hickerson Wiley and Doug will be living at Harvard where Doug will do post doctorate work.

Ellen Largent went to Washington, D. C. this fall to begin work for the *National Geographic* on the illustrations staff. Sounds fascinating.

Marianne Beck returned to Westhampton in September to take Miss Ross' English classes while she is on a sabbatical leave.

Mary Lee Rankin will be in Louisville this year as a student counselor at the Training School.

Mary Sullivan Tinder and Cecil are leaving for South Africa in February to enter the Foreign Mission Field.

We're glad to hear that Barbara Beattie Faney and Skip are back in Richmond. Skip completed his Master's in Public Health and is now in the State Health Department.

The Class of '50 went foot loose and fancy free this summer. Visiting the City of Sky Scrapers were Vivian Betts Lewis and W. P.

Ida Smith liked N. Y. so well the early part of the summer that she returned in August for

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Doris Balderson Burbank and Banny traveled to Harrisonburg, Va. to attend Bernardine Arey's wedding and continued on to Niagara Falls and Canada.

Libby Givens Pierce and Bucky joined Pat Kelly Jordon and Alex on a trip to Westmoreland State Park.

Jean Tinsley Martin and Roy spent their vacation at Myrtle Beach in August.

Fran Sutton Oliver and Raymond attended the World Council of Churches meeting in Evanston, Illinois this summer.

Joanna Maiden attended a Foreign Missions week in Glorieta, New Mexico. She will continue her studies at Woman's Medical College in Philadelphia this winter.

Louise Covington spent several weeks at Virginia Beach this summer working at the Baptist Lodge.

Rosalou Soles Johnston and Mandly took a trip into Canada.

Barbara Coleman spent the summer in Connecticut as a counselor at a girls' camp. She then visited friends in Wisconsin.

Audrey Lynn Moncure and Richard enjoyed a week end in Fries, Virginia visiting Jane Pitt Robinson and Hiter.

Any resemblance to this and any previous letters is purely coincidental, since Piggy is off galavanting with her parents, who are visiting here in Richmond, and we were left with the news and typewriter.

Doris Lee, Barbara, and Audrey

1951 Secretary

MRS. WILLIAM M. SCHOOLS

(Frances Allen)

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Six new heirs have made six homes happier this time. Shirley Hall Murphy has a new little Murphy in the form of Steven, who was born last spring.

Jean Love Hanson and Chuck have added a little playmate for Mike. Her name is Page Love and she was born in August.

Jeannette Aderhold Brown and Pete are the proud parents of Constance Jeannette, born July 2.

Sue Beal, ex-'51'er also had a little girl.

Anne Plunkett Rosser and Buddy are pleased with their future football star, Stephen Hollyday, who appeared on June 29. He should be a lot of company for Aubrey, Jr., who is almost two. Anne is living in South Boston where Buddy is pastor of the Second Baptist Church. He finishes at the Seminary, Southeastern at Wake Forest, in December.

Gwen Priddy Donohue and Jay have a little girl, Marion Adele, born in August. They have a house on Patterson Avenue and she is learning to cook, clean, and take care of the baby all at the same time.

Joy Hodgkins will be married on November 26, to Dr. Daniel C. Plunkett. Joy has been attending graduate school at R.P.I., taking child psychology. Joy, Gina Herrink, and I were recently in "Tobacco Follies," a part of the Tobacco Festival. Barbara McGehee became Mrs. Samuel L. Cooke, Jr. on August 21, and is now living in Waco, Texas. Can anyone supply her new address?

Renie Groves is now Mrs. Howland and lives in Towson, Maryland, at 18 Burke Avenue.

This seems to be the time of year for '51'ers to move. Charlotte Herrink Jones and Bob have bought a cute house in Roanoke. Charlotte Houchins Decker and Hank have an apartment in Richmond and Houch is teaching third grade in Henrico County.

Jane Lawson Patton and Ben are back in Richmond, and have an apartment on Hanover Ave.

Millie Wright Outten and Joe are in Greenville, South Carolina. Joe has gone back into the Air Force.

Nancy Taylor Johnson and Lit are living in Christiansburg, Virginia where Nancy teaches third grade. Lit is attending V.P.I.

Helen Clark Hensley and Dick are in Fork Union where Dick is coaching at the Military Academy. One-year-old Randy who's exactly like Dick keeps Helen busy. Jean DeWitt Glass and

Tommy are now living in Charlotte, North Carolina, where Tommy coaches at the high school.

Paula Abernethy Kelton and John are at Chapel Hill, North Carolina and love it. John is finishing up his work in psychology, and Paula is teaching English.

Suzie Gibson Madden and Ray have moved to Key West, Florida.

Jo Hyche Baulch has bought a home in Texas. Anyone know her exact address?

Mary Booth Watt went to Nags Head this summer and saw Houch and Hank. The Watts spend every leisure minute riding in their new boat on Philpott Lake.

Jane Ellis Babb writes that Emerson has received his M.S. degree from VPI, and they have left Blacksburg.

Elizabeth McKrae Dudley and Roy have been busy painting the interior of their home. They took a trip to Rhode Island this summer.

Betty Munsey's family has moved to Richmond. She had a big trip to Canada in August and is now back in Charlottesville teaching first grade.

Bobbie Brown Yagel is now copy chief of Cabell Eanes Advertising Agency. She and Myron went to Nag's Head and Asheville this summer.

Elizabeth Gill gave a concert in Richmond in September. Our sincerest sympathies to Ibby on the death of her father last spring.

Natalie McKessick Hussar is busy with Susan who is almost four, and Nancy, two. Her husband, Jim, has just finished making a violin.

Betty Tredway Blake is giving up teaching this year and will settle for her new job as housewife. Pinky hasn't yet returned from Korea, but she is looking for him soon.

Ann Rogers Crittenden has also stopped teaching and plans to travel with Crit this year on his business trips. Ann spent most of her summer playing golf. She is also active in A.A.U.W. work, so if any W. C. girls are in Ann's section, get in touch with her.

Jean Lowe Bradley writes that she hasn't been doing much with the exception of big week end fishing trips. She claims they have become settled "home folks."

Doris Goodwyn Bridgeforth is busy with her two boys and entertaining.

Lea Thompson Osburn has been keeping her father's office. They had a quiet summer and Will's mother visited them. Neil keeps her on the go and "is the biggest character, but so much fun."

Eleanor Wright Weston and Billy are due home in February. They went to Hong Kong and Nagasaki for a week end.

Rita Bross is teaching third grade and working on her teacher's certificate.

Lee Hunter Schwanhauser saw Peggy Bake-man Coleman who is now living in Falls Church.

Jean Booth is teaching high school in Northumberland. She is vice-president of the Junior Woman's Club and plays the church organ.

Ann Jones Moffatt and George went to New York in October. Ann has been thinking of taking flying lessons. Her dog is attending the Merrimac Dog Training School.

Anne Marie Hardin Bailey and Ben visited in Richmond this summer. They are close to my heart now, as Ben has bought an M.G. We have sold one M.G. and now have a Jaguar. It's so nice to find someone who likes sports cars. Ben has decided to make the Army his career.

While Norma Streever was in New York attending the UN Convention for the Y she had dinner with Biret Koljo.

Kitty Bunting Bowman reports that Karen Lee is five months old. George has two rural churches in Woodville. Their summer was very active with revivals, meetings, Bible School, canning, freezing, etc.

Jane Slaughter attended Union Seminary in New York this summer.

Helen Blackwelder Scott and Russell spent part of their summer hiking and traveling in North Carolina. They are renting a house in Richmond now.

Ann Blakemore spent the summer in Provincetown, Mass., studying painting under Hans Hofman. This winter she will continue her studies in New York.

Sue Pitts Hodder and Bob have an apartment in Richmond and went to Nag's Head this summer.

Bill and I had a nice visit with Nancy Taylor Johnson and Lit before they moved from the Shore. Our baby cup winner is quite a young lady now. Since that time I have been very, very busy with dancing, but I love every minute of it!

Some of us are slipping into the "lost" category. We have completely lost track of some of you. Won't you please contact your group leader or myself? Just a card will help so much! And many thanks to those who sent such "newsie" letters this time!

1952 Secretary

MRS. WILLARD E. LEE, JR.

(Kathleen Cole)

2318 Grove Avenue, Richmond 20, Va.

I certainly do agree 100% with all you who have written me saying married life is the greatest. I've had such a busy summer, it's hard to get back to work. If I have been negligent in contacting any of you, or if I have left you out of the news, please forgive me. I'll just blame it on married bliss!

The stork paid a visit to Carol and Charlie Sinclair on March 5. They are the proud parents of a little girl—Jeannette Marie. She's really growing by leaps and bounds. Charlie is in his last year at Crozer Theological Seminary, and hopes to get a church somewhere in Virginia after graduation.

We have received word that Janet Storm was married on June 19 to Bruce Pengeley. Her new address is Awali, Bahrein Island, Persian Gulf.

Lou Tull started graduate school in September at the University of Virginia to work for her Master's in microbiology.

Sue Easley was married to Ralph Candler in Williamson, West Virginia, August 28, at a home ceremony. Her sisters were her attendants. Ralph is a chemical engineer from Hopewell.

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Fannie Craddock Wood and John are proud parents of a daughter, Patricia Hamilton, born during the summer.

Harriet Willingham is now in Minneapolis, Minnesota as the state director of all Baptist students. In other words, she runs around to the different colleges and assists them with their youth groups. Congratulations, Harriet, sounds like a mighty good job.

Dizzy Stuart-Alexander has bought a car and has been doing some sightseeing in various states. She's given up her job in New York and plans to live in Texas with her mother.

Nola Texley and her baby are in New York with her parents while waiting to join Bob in Germany.

Betsy Phillips Pulliam and her sister Fran are sharing an apartment in Berkeley, California until Bill gets back from overseas in April. Betsy is working in the radiation lab at the University of California.

Bertha Cosby King and Jobson hope to be home from Japan around Christmas.

Alice Subley Mandanis and her husband, John, are in French Morocco where they expect to be located for a year. John is an Air Force doctor.

Bettie Snead Herbert has stopped teaching and is giving all her time to housekeeping and learning to sew.

As was previously mentioned, Jane Ozlin Given's husband, Fred, has begun his residency in obstetrics at Johns Hopkins. Jane is teaching fourth grade in a county school near Baltimore.

Nina Landolina Byrd, Ray, and little Carol have moved to Salem, Va. where Ray is a pharmacist.

Janie Tune Sease is teaching again at Hermitage High School while Jimmy continues his studies at M.C.V.

Betty Crews Watkins, Earle, and little Scotty have moved to a different house in South Hill. She's busy taking care of the new baby.

Lou Glading Shelton, Bud and Chip were due back East early in September.

Nancy Clement Edmonds and John are the proud parents of a daughter, Anne Elizabeth, born August 11.

Best wishes to Mary Jean Ivey. She is to be married on October 26, to Al Simmons, a Presbyterian minister who has a church in Waterford, Va. Al is a graduate of the Seminary in Richmond.

Georgie McTeer Cooke and Morris have a son, Morris Dawes Cooke, Jr., born in July. They expect to move to Norfolk around the first of the year.

Fred Lee Watson Stanfield spent a week end in Richmond in September. Wheeler is in Japan, and she and the baby are staying with her mother in Arlington.

Marian Lacy is teaching at Lakeside School this year.

Don't forget to drop me a line if you have news of yourself or other 52'ers.

1953 Secretary
MISS SEGAR WHITE
909 Floyd Avenue, Richmond, Va.

Congratulations are in order to Sue Bentley Fain

and Jim on the birth of a daughter, Elizabeth Bentley, on June 29th. Bentley started life with a crop of blond hair and weighed 7 pounds, 12 ounces and is the recipient of our silver baby cup. The family's address is 768 Gustin Lane, Winston-Salem, N. C.

There were several summer weddings. Jo Fugate and Lieutenant Charles William Harris III were married on July 24 at Wise, Va. On August 7 Betty Montgomery married Cecil Elwood Marsh at Second Baptist Church in Richmond. August 28 was the wedding day of Virginia LeSueur and William Joseph Carter. Ruby Vaughan was one of Ginny's two attendants at the ceremony which took place at the LeSueur home in Bristol. Ginny and Bill are living at 931 Kent Road, Richmond. Betty Schaefer was married to Jack Gladstone in June. They live at 2607 Monument Ave., Richmond.

Jean Martin spent a month as counsellor at a Girl Scout Camp near Richmond. She hopes to enter welfare work of some kind in the near future. I saw Jean in the Hot Shoppe one day during the summer and can report that the rigors of camp life certainly agreed with her, because she looked grand.

Jane Sheema wrote that she spent a leisurely summer of '52, flew to the continent in July for Beach for a week, and taking time out to be in charge of the athletic program at a camp in Pennsylvania. This year she is again teaching health and physical education at Halifax County High School where she enjoys her work and associations.

Ginny Hunt, who traveled in Europe in the summer of '52, flew to the continent in July for another six-week visit. Her trip featured a stay in Holland. Another traveling Westhamptonite is Mary Kathryn Manuel, who trekked through the Western United States on a sight seeing tour this summer.

Two members of the class of '53 went back to school this September. Betty Kersey and Pat Moran entered the General Assembly's training School in Richmond.

June Pair became engaged this summer to Mann Lee Carter of Richmond. The couple plan a late fall wedding.

Ruby Vaughan, who has already spent a summer in Mexico and a Christmas vacation in Puerto Rico, is again headed for Spanish speaking territory. This time she has won a \$1,000 scholarship from the Virginia Federation of Women's Clubs for study in Latin America. When last heard from, Ruby was having a hard time deciding between Peru and Ecuador as the site for her study.

Pauline Decker and Mary Hurt are sharing an apartment at 4515 W. Franklin Street, Richmond.

Nancy Carpenter and Bill Jordon are planning a December wedding. Nancy is living at home this fall after having completed a business course in Richmond.

Janet Johnston has turned schoolmarm this year and is teaching math at Varina High School. She spent her summer working and attending school.

Betty Andrews was married July 10 to William P. Rhudy in Marion, Virginia. They are living in Buffalo, New York while he finishes dental school there.

Jackie Gustin has returned to Roanoke this year to teach.

Beth Carpenter and Marietta Carr are teaching again at Ridge School. Beth has first grade and Marietta the second grade.

"Methel" Young Bruce and Bill's address is 822 E. 45th Street, Richmond. She writes that they visited Lois and Jim Mackey in Norfolk last July 4, and found them well and happy. They viewed movies of Bermuda where the Mackeys honeymooned last Spring.

Harriet Wheat Fralin has a teaching position at Mary Munford School again this year. "Cotton" is now "Doctor," after having graduated from dental school in June.

When I spent a day at Virginia Beach with Betty Jane Williams in August, she was full of good reports about Westhampton's Fortieth Anniversary celebration last June. She is teaching fourth grade in Norfolk County again, driving to work in a new Chevrolet.

Kay Beale did a great deal of singing this summer in Richmond and at Workshops held at Mary Washington College and in Wheeling, West Virginia. As a member of the Richmond Opera group she has been chosen to be the heroine in *My Maryland*, a musical romance with music by Sigmund Romberg, to be presented at the Mosque in November. Aside from attending numerous rehearsals she also works as an attendance worker (truant officer) for Richmond schools. The reason I know so much about Kay is that we are living in the same apartment at 909 Floyd Ave., in Richmond. We would welcome a visit or call from any of you who might happen to be in the vicinity.

I spent nine weeks this summer at William and Mary College dabbling in art and education courses. Since September 1, I have been assistant librarian at Virginia Electric Power Company. Please note my change of address and if the notion strikes you once in a while, write me about yourself. I have appointed Ginny LeSueur Carter, Mary Hurt, Alice Gardner, Rosa Ann Thomas, Mary Ethel Young Bruce, and Alice Warner to assist in keeping in touch with some of you. Always feel free to write them or me even if we do not write you first.

1954 Secretary
MISS CAROL JONES
214 Norview Avenue, Norfolk 13, Va.

Well, '54, if you're all feeling the way I do, it's still strange to be an alumna, a little lost out in the "wide, wide world." Everybody in the Big Green seems to be taking the world in her stride though, if the news from you is any indication.

Marriage seems to be the most popular occupation for a number of the '54'ers, with Shirley Bruckman starting the ball rolling right after graduation. She is now Mrs. Robert Martin.

Another June wedding was Little Davis', now Mrs. Robert McDaniel. She and Bobby are living in Louisville.

Cos and Harry were married in Martinsville in July. In the wedding were Shirl, Bull, Hush and Boog, and Jane Lanier sang. Cos is now Mrs. Harry Barnes, and is enjoying keeping house and teaching in Martinsville. Macon, Shirl, and Mary Lou stopped over in Washington for the week end after Cos' wedding, and then went on to Pittsburgh for Ann Powell's marriage to Townsend Oast. Ann and Townsend are now in Lexington where Townsend is back at W & L and Ann is teaching.

Barbara Moore's marriage to Warren "Flats" Flanagan took place the same week in Teaneck. Barbara and Flats are living in Lawrenceville, Va., where Barbara is teaching fourth grade. Linda Goodman and Denby Lewis were married in Martinsville on August 14. Denby has short duty at sea, and Linda is living at Virginia Beach, sharing an apartment with Joanne Russell. Both are teaching in Princess Anne County.

August 15 was the date of Jean Merritt's marriage to Howell Lewis, in Norfolk. Jean is now director of the Junior Red Cross in the Norfolk City schools. Edith Burnett was married to Whiteford Duncan Grimes on September 25. Ann Burnett and Ola Hill were bridesmaids.

Norma Raney and Jack Bishop were married

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in July. Jane Gill was maid of honor. Norma is now working as a chemist at DuPont.

Teaching appears to be the most popular profession with '54 graduates. There are at least twenty-six teachers from our class. In Richmond are Sue Kegan and Jane Betts at Ridge School, and Ruth Zehner. Ruth worked at a bank in Richmond during the summer. Susie is sharing an apartment with Edo, Joe Sue, and Harvey at 2013 W. Grace St. Edo is very happy with her job, handling the problems of a group of delinquent boys under the State Department of Welfare. Jo Sue has just begun a year in the executive training program at Traveler's Insurance. Harvey has been working since June at First and Merchants National Bank on Main Street.

Other teachers near Richmond are Jane Gill, handling five classes of English at Highland Springs High School; Jane Lanier, teaching 5th grade in Colonial Heights, after a summer with the State; and Marcie Hammock in Petersburg. Marcie really enjoyed her tour of Europe during the summer. Betty Dowdy is teaching English at Manchester.

Teaching and living together in Warwick are Nancy Graham, Macon Day, Robbie Mayer, and Laura Mapp. Lucy, Make, and Robbie all spent the summer at home, while Snap was back at Camp Merriewood in North Carolina. Also teaching together are Peggy Brown and Sara Sherman in Culpeper. Peggy really loves teaching math, and has two of Janice Carroll's sisters in one of her classes. Janice, by the way, is now engaged. Sara worked at the Bon Air Industrial School during the summer.

Shirl spent the summer traveling to weddings and to Hampton. She's now living at home and teaching in Alexandria. Nancy Lay was at Camp Robin Hood in Pennsylvania for the summer, and now is teaching phys. ed. and biology at Southern Seminary and Junior College in Buena Vista. She's driving her own car, a '50 Ford, which rides

smoother, but lacks the personality of the Green Monster. Polly Newman also has a new car, as does Barbara Bull. Polly is teaching at home, and Barbara has 7th grade somewhere on the Eastern Shore.

Five of us are teaching in the Norview area of Norfolk. Mary Lou Gilbert is living at home and teaching math at the new high school here. Beverly Burke also is here, teaching English, and living with Betty Jane Wilder, who is a social studies teacher at Norview Junior High School. I am teaching 7th grade, and living with Sue Perry who is directing a kindergarten at the Norview Baptist Church.

Bobbie Cronin, after a siege of chicken pox this summer, is doing graduate work in corrective physical education at Smith College. Barbara Maygar also is studying; for her, it's occupational therapy at R.P.I. Other graduate students from our class are Betty Fleet and Mary Alice Wagner.

Lola Varney loves her job in the lab at U. Va. She has an apartment in Charlottesville. Billie Bryan also is doing lab work, making tests and studies at the Arlington County Board of Health. She is living with Nancy Baumgardner, who is doing social work for the Alexandria Department of Welfare.

Beverly French is back in Richmond after an exciting trip to Europe with Ann King. Betsy Evans is at Mackinac Island, Michigan with the Moral Rearmament Movement. Ann Burnet is in Richmond, studying physical therapy at Medical College. Also in Richmond is Ann Cardwell, studying business at Pan American. She finishes her course in October and plans to enter advertising in January. Kitty Kennedy is doing advertising layouts for a Richmond firm.

Barbara Konkle is in Atlanta, and is making wedding plans. Boog is living at home, and working for the Arlington County Department of Welfare.

Miss Eleanor Decker '17

Miss Eleanor Decker died at the University Hospital in Charlottesville on September 29. She was a graduate of Westhampton in the Class of 1917 and had also studied at the University of Virginia, Cornell University, and the Baptist Training School in Louisville, Kentucky.

She did religious work at the West End Baptist Hospital in Birmingham, Alabama for a time and then returned to her native County of Orange, Virginia, and taught school there for 31 years. She was a member of the Welfare Board of Orange County and Clerk of the North Pamunkey Baptist Church.

Ann Lewis Payne was married in June in Front Royal; Shirl attended the wedding. Sue Simpson Cooper and Billy are stationed at Langley Field and living in Hampton.

All of you will be hearing from your group leader during the fall. Be sure to let her know what you're doing, especially if we had no news of you over the summer.

Miss Miller spent the summer at home, and is now back at school, planning another big hockey season. A number of us saw her at Westhampton at the Club Hockey Clinic in September. Hush is playing hockey with the Campus Characters, Maggie with Richmond Club, and Snap with Williamsburg Club. Still "fighting fiercely," E!

And don't forget, '54, "Vive la!"

Westhampton Alumnae Local Clubs

Richmond Club

President: MRS. ALFRED J. DICKINSON (Elsie Mattingly), 801 Henri Road, Richmond, Virginia

The Richmond Club entertained new students entering Westhampton this fall from the Richmond area at a tea at Emily Parker Kendig's home, 5008 Cary Street Road, on September 9. Dean Marguerite Roberts and Dean of Students Josephine Tucker, along with one or two other faculty members and members of the Richmond Club board welcomed the new girls. Altogether, about sixty were present.

The fall luncheon was held on Saturday, October 9, at the Commonwealth Club. The speaker was Mr. H. I. Willett, Superintendent of Richmond Public Schools, whose topic was "The Role of Public Schools in Our Society."

As one of its two projects to raise money for the Swimming Pool Fund this year, the Richmond Club is sponsoring a play in November. The play is "Papa is All," directed by Professor Alton Williams and given by a University of Richmond

cast. The play will be given in the Hut behind the Cannon Memorial Chapel at 8:00 P.M. on November 15 and 16.

Tidewater Club

President: MRS. W. N. HEFLIN (Carolyn Babb), 6223 Newport Ave., Norfolk, Virginia

Our first event of this season took place on a very hot September afternoon, in the form of a tea. The Tidewater Club entertained in honor of the girls from this area who attend or will attend Westhampton this fall.

The tea was held on September 8, from four until five-thirty in the home of Mrs. Stewart Grizard, 124 LaValette Avenue in Norfolk. There were about fifty who came, about half of them being present Westhamptonites. Kitty Little Alfriend and Nancy Ayers McClees were in charge of refreshments for the event, and they did a superb job.

All of us were glad to see the friends and ac-

quaintances that we see only at Westhampton gatherings. We were especially glad (and maybe a little envious), to see so many enthusiastic future Westhampton Alumnae who will soon be entering or returning to our Alma Mater.

Washington Club

President: MISS FRANCES BURNETTE, 1315 35th Street, N.W., Washington, D. C.

The first fall meeting of the Washington Alumnae Club was in the form of a luncheon at 12:30 P.M. on October 16, at the A.A.U.W. Club House. Miss Josephine Tucker, Dean of Students at Westhampton College, and Alumnae Secretary Leslie Booker were the guest speakers.

On October 11, Frances Burnette and Estelle Kemper Butler represented Westhampton alumnae at a meeting of the Associated Alumnae Clubs of Washington held at Mount Vernon Seminary. At this meeting plans for the College Night which was set for November 1, were perfected.

Necrology

1896—

M. Estes Cocke, retired vice-president and treasurer of Hollins College, died August 16. After attending Richmond College, Mr. Cocke was graduated from the University of Virginia. Born and

reared on the campus at Hollins College, Mr. Cocke was associated with all four presidents during his 55-year connection with the college. He held virtually every important administrative position at Hollins, in addition to teaching physics and mathematics, before he retired as vice-president and treasurer in 1952.

1899—

Dr. Allen Weir Freeman, a pioneer in the field of preventive medicine, and former dean of the

school of public health administration at Johns Hopkins University, died July 3. Dr. Freeman was a brother of the late Dr. Douglas Southall Freeman, '04, noted Richmond editor and author. A native of Lynchburg, Dr. Freeman served as a demonstrator in physiology at the Medical College of Virginia, as medical inspector for the Richmond City Health Department, and as assistant commissioner of the Virginia State Department of Health in former years. Until several months before his death, he was consultant to the Maryland State Health Department.

1900—

Dr. John Watson Shepard, who founded a Baptist College in Brazil and for a number of years headed the New Testament and Greek departments of the Baptist Seminary in New Orleans, died August 12 in Atlanta, Ga. Dr. Shepard and his wife went to Brazil as missionaries in 1906. A native of Lebanon, Tennessee, Dr. Shepard retired in 1947 from his work at the New Orleans Seminary.

1901—

Dr. Hugh Thomas Musselman, noted teacher, editor and educational writer, died in Dallas, Texas, on April 28. A native of Falmouth, Va., Dr. Musselman went to Dallas in 1912 and became editor and publisher of the Texas School magazine, later merging it with the Texas School Journal, which he published for 25 years. The author of several books and numerous articles on educational subjects, Dr. Musselman once estimated that he traveled more than one million miles delivering lectures on public school problems.

1904—

Samuel Peachey Ryland, retired vice-president and trust officer of First and Merchants National Bank and past president of the Richmond Area Community Chest, died in Richmond, July 30. A native of Richmond, Mr. Ryland was long prominent in financial, civic and educational circles here. He was the son of Dr. Charles Hill Ryland, financial secretary and treasurer of Richmond College for 40 years, and the great-nephew of Robert Ryland, first president of Richmond College.

1912—

Word has been received of the death of the Rev. Marion L. Mintz in North Carolina on August 12.

1927—

Wilton Park Hood, manager of customer relations for the C. F. Sauer Company, died in Richmond August 13. Mr. Hood was associated with the Sauer Company for 27 years.

1931—

Judge Burnett Miller, Jr., of the Ninth Judicial Circuit, died in Culpeper August 20. Judge Miller was appointed to the bench in 1946. He served two terms in the House of Delegates representing Rappahannock and Culpeper Counties and was a lieutenant in the Navy in World War II.

1947—

Anthony Carey Lankford, a native of Southampton County, Va., was slain in Yardley, Pa., July 10. Mr. Lankford, manager of the educational group insurance department of the Trenton office of the Washington National Insurance Company, was found dead in his bachelor apartment. He was the son of the late George A. Lankford, for many years a member of the Southampton County School Board.

The T. C. Williams

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render conspicuous service to the local and national community. This address was fol-

lowed by greetings from the other law schools in Virginia. Dean Dudley W. Woodbridge spoke for the Marshall-Wythe School of Law at William and Mary; Dean F. D. G. Ribble represented the Department of Law of the University of Virginia; and Dean Clayton E. Williams brought greetings from the Law School of Washington and Lee. The ceremony was concluded by the prayer of dedication offered by Dr. Ernest L. Honts of Richmond's Tabernacle Baptist Church.

Following the official dedication, the University faculty, the senior students at the Law School, and the distinguished visitors and guests moved in academic procession to the Cannon Memorial Chapel for the convocation. The highlight of this occasion was the address of Dean Erwin N. Griswold of the Harvard Law School. Dean Griswold made a plea that the Law School participate in the development of a sense of profession among lawyers and, citing the peculiar advantages of a local law school, urged that the institution integrate itself with the community.

Dean Griswold's address was followed by a luncheon in the Millhiser Gymnasium, after which open house was held in the law building from 2:30 to 4:00. The open house featured tours of the new building and, in the student lounge, a tea presided over by the wives of the law faculty. The ceremonies were concluded with a banquet in the Virginia Room of the Hotel John Marshall at which the featured speaker was Judge Herbert F. Goodrich of the U. S. Circuit Court of Appeals, Third Circuit.

The day was a memorable one. In one sense it marked the termination of a period of struggle and the fulfillment of many long held hopes. In a very real sense it was the beginning of what should be a period of auspicious service. Perhaps the key theme of the program can be described by paraphrasing the words used by Harvard's President Pusey in addressing a recent graduating class of the Harvard Law School. The University of Richmond rededicated its Law School to the training of men who will be prepared to assist in the preparation and administration of those wise restraints that make men free.

Football

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The Spiders went 67 yards for their only touchdown late in the fourth period. Theodosios flipped passes to George Riggs and Jim Beck for 51 of those yards, and Riggs traveled the final four yards on a running play.

Virginia Military had only a slight edge in statistics, rolling up 11 first downs to 10 for the Spiders. The Keydets were out front, 153-101, in rushing yardage, but Richmond led in passing yardage, 83-80.

One Spider consolation: Despite the loss, no team has scored through the air against Richmond in two seasons.

Richmond won last year's game 13-7, al-

though V.M.I. later claimed the State football championship.

Richmond—Hampden-Sydney

Rolling a whopping 420 yards on the ground, the Spiders had little trouble in its 40-0 romp over Hampden-Sydney in a Tobacco Festival feature September 24 watched by a crowd of 10,000.

Five Spiders—George Riggs, Louis Wacker, Roland Evans, Ed Santoro and Phil Curley—got into the touchdown scoring act as the Spiders routed last year's Mason-Dixon Conference champions in a game the Tigers entered as only a two-touchdown underdog.

The Spiders did their smashing methodically, scoring twice in the first, third and fourth periods.

Individual statistics showed Wacker leading the heavy ground attack with 135 yards. Other top individual running performances came from Evans, who was credited with 102 yards, and Riggs, who was good for 94 yards and two touchdowns.

Hampden-Sydney's one brief offensive spurt was checked on the Richmond 15 by Spider defenders who limited the visitors to 34 yards running and 33 yards passing.

An indication of the final outcome came in the first few minutes when Richmond rolled 60 yards to score after Wacker returned the opening kickoff 36 yards.

Richmond's aerial game also proved sound, with each of the quarterback trio—Bill Bauder, Tommy Theodose and Bill Reynolds—making one touchdown toss apiece as the Spiders completed 10 passes in 15 tries for 94 yards.

Richmond—Randolph-Macon

Richmond's 1954 debut, an easy 46-0 triumph over an inexperienced Randolph-Macon eleven, saw the Spiders combine a walloping ground game with a high impenetrable defense to run up their largest single game score since 1946.

On offense, the Spiders rolled 313 yards on the ground to wear down the spirited but overpowered Jackets.

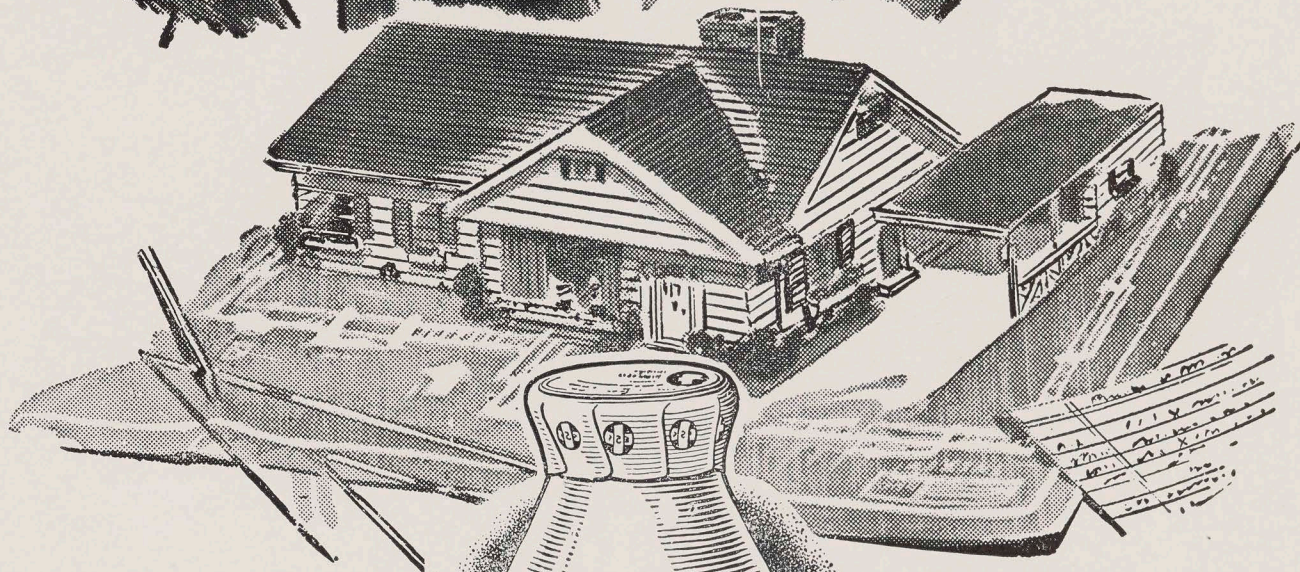
Defensively, the Spiders limited the Yellow Jackets to three first downs, 32 yards rushing and 21 yards by the aerial route as only two of 11 Randolph-Macon pitches found their mark. Randolph-Macon got into Richmond territory only twice.

Richmond passers, meanwhile, completed half of their 14 tosses to add 91 yards to the Spiders' offensive total.

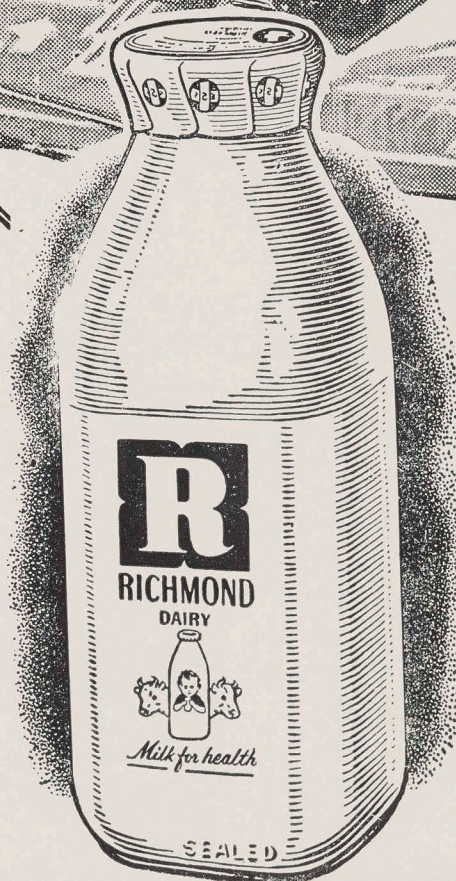
It was strictly no contest after the second period, when Ed Merrick's Spiders added two touchdowns to their single first period score and left at intermission, holding a 20-0 lead. Four scores in the 26-point fourth period, with freshmen and sophomores dominating the Richmond play, completed the rout.

Louis Wacker and Ed Santoro registered two touchdowns each for the Spiders, with Roland Evans, Frank Pajackowski and George Riggs each contributing a six-pointer. Pajackowski's 45-yard scoring sprint was the longest run of the game, played September 18 before an estimated 6,000 fans.

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